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LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

William Sutcliffe of East Dedham, is in town on a visit.

Miss Grace Morse has returned from a visit in Weymouth.

Walter French and family have returned from Epping, N. H.

Evening prayer will be resumed at Christ church next Sunday at 5 o'clock.

David L. Coutts of the Townsman office, is at the Sea View house, York Beach.

Rev. J. F. Blacklock of Salem Depot preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

John J. Cady has gone to St. Louis with Battery C of Lawrence, of which he is a member.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Cole and Miss Jane Glidden were recent visitors at Hampton Beach.

The local Carpenters' union has voted to parade in Lawrence with the other unions on Labor day.

Miss Mary F. Mason of the Tyrer Rubber Co. office has been granted an extended leave of absence.

A large number of local people will attend the St. Lawrence church barbecue at Glen Forest, Labor Day.

Miss Agnes Park has returned from Long Island, N. Y., where she has been spending a portion of the summer.

Judge Rollin E. Harmon of the probate court spent Sunday at the home of Miss Margaret E. Gray on Central street.

Mrs. Mary D. Evans and daughter Annie, of Broadway, Lawrence, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pitman.

Dr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Safford of Philadelphia are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry K. Flint of Porter Road.

September 20, 21 and 22 are the dates of the annual cattle show and fair of the Essex Agricultural society which is to be held at Peabody.

William C. Coutts, Misses Alice S. Coutts, Bertha C. Coutts and Mary W. Scott are at the Sea View House, York Beach, over Labor day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Tyler Kimball and son and Mrs. L. J. Blunt have returned from Pine Point, Me., where they have been spending a portion of the summer.

James, Saunders, the well known janitor at the town house, returned Saturday after several days spent on the government's custom boat at Gloucester.

Mrs. Jennie Lowe Jaquith of Chicago, Ill., is visiting relatives in town. Mrs. Jaquith formerly resided here and will be remembered by many of her former acquaintances.

Many Andover people attended the presentation of the musical forest fantasy, "Woodland" at the Lawrence Opera house which opened for the season Tuesday evening.

Ray Cole, Robert Hill, Alfred Manning, William Grosvenor, David Lawson and Dudley Lindsey have returned from Canobie lake where they have been staying at the Idle Hour camp.

The Christ Church choir boys' track team and the team of St. John's church, Newburyport, will compete in a meet to be held here Sept. 10. A choir team from Lynn may also compete.

Traffic continues to be heavy on the Andover and Reading and Haverhill and Andover street car lines. Extra cars were run Sunday and big crowds were carried all day. There has been heavy travel all the week.

At the South church Sunday evening T. F. Pratt sang a solo. Miss Ella Holt rendered a violin selection and a hymn was sung by a quartet comprising Miss Mabel Carter, Miss Helen Bell, Geo. White and William Hardy.

An address of interest to members of the Y. P. S. C. E. will be given at 7.30 Sunday evening in the South Church. The speaker will be Albert H. Beckford of Newburyport, district secretary of the Massachusetts Y. P. S. C. E. Union.

Omar P. Chase, secretary-treasurer of the Chase-Chace family association, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert F. Chase attended the fifth annual meeting of the association at Hotel Lenox, Boston, yesterday. The latter served on the reception committee.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Jenkins and family will learn with deep regret that their son who was recently seriously injured in St. Louis has been found by his mother and brother to be in a very serious condition. An operation to remove an ulcer from the lung has left him very weak and with slim chances of recovery, but they are all hopeful.

The football team of the Andover Cricket and Football association will open the season on the home grounds Labor day morning at 9 o'clock with the Lawrence team. At 12.30 the cricket team will engage the Lynn Wanderers with the following team: D. F. Bruce (capt.), J. Gordon, A. Andrews, J. S. Barrett, R. Barrett, H. Callaghan, W. McKenzie, S. Fraser, J. B. Callum, W. M. Coutts and J. Sullivan; reserve, W. Gordon.

Miss Sarah Riley of the Fleur de Lis, is at Newport, R. I.

Miss Jean Gordon is enjoying the sea breezes at York Beach.

Miss Helen Ritchie is spending her vacation at Sunapee, N. H.

Mrs. George T. Abbott has returned from a visit to Auburndale.

Lathers have begun work on the Jaquith house on Whittier street.

Charles E. F. Clarke has returned from a trip to the Rangeley lakes, Maine.

Miss Ethel Hemenway has entered the employ of the Tyrer Rubber Co. office.

Misses Bertha C. Coutts and Margaret Anderson have returned from Weekapog, R. I.

George Bailey, who has been in Florida for sometime, has returned to town.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana F. Chase and Miss Ella Holt spent Sunday at Salem Willows.

The selectmen held a regular meeting Monday but transacted only routine business.

Dan Hilton has returned from Oldtown, Me., where he has been spending his vacation.

Charles T. Whitten of New Portland, Me., is visiting his niece, Mrs. Brownell, Salem street.

The South church Sunday school has donated \$10 to the Lawrence General hospital fund.

John L. Phillips and family have returned to Andover after a pleasant sojourn at Pine Point, Me.

Rev. Thomas L. Dole of St. Mary's church, Newton Lower Falls, preached at Christ church, Sunday morning.

Mrs. S. E. Bryant and Thomas Harding and wife of Hartford, Conn., have been visiting at Mrs. Baldwin's on Summer street.

Henry and Lawrence Riley of this town were pall bearers at the funeral of Katherine Keegan in South Groveland Monday.

The Andover Brass Band will furnish the music at the St. Lawrence church barbecue which is to be held at Glen Forest Labor Day.

Mrs. John B. Jenkins and son Frank B., have gone to St. Louis, having been called there by the serious illness of Benjamin, a member of the family.

On Sunday, Sept. 11, a trolley party to Salisbury beach will take place. The party will leave Andover square on special cars at 8 a. m. The tickets for the trip including ashore dinner are \$1.00 each. Those who are in charge of the affair are E. E. Trefry and James Napier.

The League football team has elected Joseph McGuire captain, John Porter, who was elected to the position earlier in the season having resigned because he is now employed out of town. The team plans to hold a dance in the town hall September 30.

Ballardvale and Shawashen lodges, I. O. G. T., paid a fraternal visit to Rescue lodge, North Andover, Tuesday evening. Miss Margaret Gorrie of this town was a member of the suite of Lodge Deputy William Boodle of Haverhill, who installed the officers of Rescue lodge.

Members of the Golf club are reminded that at a meeting of the club in April last a special assessment of \$5 for men and \$2 for women was voted to meet the expense incurred on enlarging the course. The assessment fell due September 1 and prompt payment of the same is desirable. The new course is steadily improving and already furnishes excellent sport.

Rev. A. T. Belknap and family have returned to town after a month's outing. Mr. Belknap will occupy his pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday morning, his subject being "The Wages Question vs. the Labor Question." No evening service will be held at the church, but a union (Christian Endeavor) meeting, addressed by A. H. Beckford, will take place at 7.30 at the South Church.

John C. Chase of Derry, N. H., visited O. P. Chase Wednesday.

Miss Jean David will teach school in Putnamville, Conn., this year.

John W. Bell and son, Howard, are spending a few days in New York.

Mrs. Grace M. Whittemore and family have returned from Pine Point, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Gutterson are enjoying a vacation at Kearsarge, N. H.

Rev. G. R. Hewitt of West Medway preached at the West church Sunday.

Miss Mary E. Gledhill is spending a week at Hotel Radcliffe, Hampton Beach.

Alonzo Rhodes of Philadelphia, formerly of Andover, is visiting relatives in town.

Miss Lillian Corbett has returned from a two months' visit to her home in Nova Scotia.

Miss Abbie Hill of Moosup, Conn., is visiting the Misses Dundas on Summer street.

The Sunday School of the Free church will resume its sessions next Sunday.

Misses S. Lizzie Bodwell and Alice B. Bodwell of Salem are visiting relatives in town.

Miss Jennie Shea of Charlestown, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Daly recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Richardson and daughter, Florence, have returned from Hampton, N. H.

Remember the auction sale one week from tomorrow at Marland street, Ballardvale. See ad.

Mr. and Mrs. David Shaw are back from Clifton, where they have been spending the season.

Dr. Shattuck of Ballardvale, is arranging a deep sea fishing trip to take place September 15.

Phillips Academy will open for the fall term Thursday, Sept. 22. Entrance examinations will be held Sept. 21.

The postponed deep sea fishing trip arranged by Thomas Bentley will take place tomorrow, weather permitting.

Miss Florence Grafton of Maplewood, is spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McNally of North Main street.

Winslow S. Knowles, who has been in Canada for some time, is visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Henrietta C. Knowles.

Albert Collings of South Down, England, but late of Oxford, Nova Scotia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Leonard Brown.

Mrs. John Soehrens, with daughter, Ernestine, has returned from a two weeks' visit to her son, John Soehrens, in Bridgeport, Conn.

Bradford Clement has left the employ of the American Express Company, to accept a position as fireman at the Phillips Academy heating plant.

While running over the Andover Golf Club links Thursday afternoon, Peter Dugan fell and broke one of his legs. The injury was treated by Dr. Abbott.

Andover people who have registered at the St. Louis fair are F. Abbott Goodhue, Jr., Dr. Edward C. Conroy, Roger Sherman, George W. Low, W. W. Donovan and S. J. Keaton, Jr.

The Andover Athletic Association baseball nine and the strong Ballardvale team will contest for supremacy on the new athletic field Labor day afternoon. There is much rivalry between the two teams.

The Andover Natural History society will meet at the home of President William G. Goldsmith at 8 o'clock Saturday evening. A vote on the question of making an amendment to the constitution will be taken.

The following Andover members of Bethany Commandery of Lawrence, will leave Saturday on the pilgrimage to Saratoga Springs and Lake George: O. Chapman, Frank E. Gleason, Frank Watson, E. W. Pitman, and Charles A. Booth.

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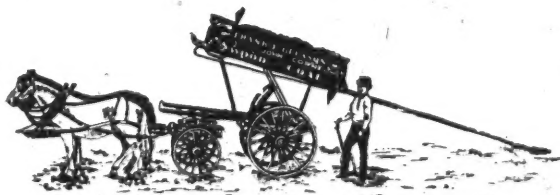
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BALLARDVALE.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. Augustus H. Fuller, pastor. Services for Sunday, Sept. 4.
10:30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor. Followed by communion.
Sunday school to follow.
7:00 p. m. Union C. E. Consecration meeting.
7:30 p. m. Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. Frank H. Hall, pastor. Services for Sunday, Sept. 4.
7:00 p. m. Union Epworth League business meeting.
7:30 p. m. Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

Miss Jessie B. F. Greene is quite ill with sciatica.

Benjamin Herick spent Sunday with friends in Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis B. Hodgkins spent Sunday with friends in Everett.

Mrs. Mary Dwyer of Attleboro spent Monday with friends in the Village.

Miss Edna Slayden of Weymouth, spent Wednesday with relatives in the Vale.

Mrs. Elizabeth Morrison of Allston, spent Wednesday with relatives in the Village.

Mrs. William Clemons spent Tuesday with her daughter, Miss G. E. Clemons of Haverhill.

Misses Annie and Laura Walker of Saugus, have been the guests of Mrs. Gertrude Walker.

Mrs. A. W. Burkholt of Brockton, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Alexander Derrah.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell F. Wilson are attending the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis.

There will be no preaching services in the Methodist church next Sunday. The Epworth League will hold a business meeting at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Alfred Greenwood spent several days last week with her son Thomas Greenwood of Clinton.

Miss Alice Adams of Nashua, N. H., has been the guest during the past week of Miss Sadie Clemons.

Miss Mary Hickey of Nashua, N. H., has been the guest during the past week of Miss Mamie Hefferan.

Miss Ethel Anthony and Miss Elinor Murchison of Lynn, have been spending the week with Miss Sadie Clemons.

Misses Nellie and Edith Shanrock of Westfield, have been the guests during the past week of Miss Edith Hoffman.

Rev. Harry Appleman, wife and son Hiram of Griggsville, Ill., have been spending the week with relatives in the Vale.

A delegation of local Good Templars paid a fraternal visit to Sylvan Dale lodge, North Saugus, last Thursday evening.

Matthew Caffrey and sons, Barron, James and Thomas, of Haverhill, spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Jane Caffrey.

Mrs. Charles F. Billington and son Raymond, were among those who attended the Grange outing at Canobie Lake Park last Thursday.

Henry Platt has been appointed a special police officer by the selectmen upon the recommendation of the Ballardvale Baseball Association.

The C. E. Juniors will hold their annual picnic Saturday afternoon, rain or shine, at the residence of William Shaw. A royal good time is assured for all those who attend.

The funeral of the late Warren Mears was held in the Congregational church last Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Frank H. Hall officiated. Delegations from Post 99, G. A. R., and from St. Matthews Lodge of Masons were present. The floral offerings were very beautiful and were proof of the respect and esteem of the many relatives and friends of the deceased. Interment in South Church cemetery.

Ballardvale will play the third and deciding game with the Lyons on the Plains Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. On Labor Day Ballardvale will play the third and decisive game of their series with Andover A. A. on the Old P. A. campus at 6:30 a. m. In the afternoon Ballardvale will play the strong West Lynn team on the Plains at 3 o'clock. These games will undoubtedly be the best contests of the season.

Advertised Letters.

Ballardvale, Sept. 2, 1904.
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DR. C. H. SHATTUCK, P. M.

MOST REPTILES ARE DEAF.

A German naturalist, M. Werner of Vienna, has recently reported the result of observations that he has been making for some time on the senses of inferior vertebrates. On certain points the conclusions of M. Werner are very surprising and in all they are worthy of notice.

M. Werner has observed 136 individuals, of which one-third were at liberty, and he took all possible precautions not to let the creatures know they were watched.

One general fact is evident, that reptiles and amphibians are strongly attracted by water. They go straight for it, even when they are at a distance so great that they could not divine its presence by any of the senses known to us. It seems really that a sense of which we have no knowledge informs them of the direction in which water may be found.

Reptiles also seek the light, but independently of heat; they are positively heliophilic, and in winter they often leave a comfortable and warm retreat to seek the sunlight.

Sight is generally good with them. It is probably the finest sense they possess, but it would still appear to be very limited. The rayman and the crocodile cannot distinguish a man at distances of more than six times their length, according to M. Werner.

Frogs are better off; they see at 15 or 20 times their length. Frog catchers know this from experience.

Young Plants

Every farmer knows that some plants grow better than others. Soil may be the same and seed may seem the same but some plants are weak and others strong.

And that's the way with children. They are like young plants. Same food, same home, same care but some grow big and strong while others stay small and weak.

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CHIEF MARSHAL'S AIDS MEET.

The aids to the chief marshal of the Labor day parade met Tuesday evening in Carpenters hall, 291 Essex street at 7:30 o'clock. R. S. Maloney acted as secretary.

The following aids were present representing their respective unions: John Briggs, woolsorters; Arthur Judge, wool combing, section hands and fixers; James Atkinson, loomfixers; Joseph Dolan, mule spinners; John J. Mahoney, combers and carders; William Parslow, dyers and finishers; Frank Perron, weavers; Jeremiah Casey, coal handlers; Michael Murphy, bottlers and drivers; Matthew DeGrey Ripon, typographical; P. F. Leonard, printing pressmen; Rudolph Miller, musicians; William Beatty, recall clerks; Martin Donahue, building laborers; James P. Langan, painters; Robert Norris, electrical workers; Patrick Hennessey, Carpenters No. 111; Napoleon Duffrene, Carpenters No. 53; Carpenters No. 135.

Delegate George W. Turner of Fall River was requested to draw for positions in line, and it resulted as follows:

FIRST DIVISION:
Lawrence Military Band.
Bottlers and Drivers Union.
Coal Handlers.
Active Turner Drum Corps.
Typographical Union No. 51.
Musicians.
Horse Shoers.
Printing Pressmen Union.
Carriage and Wagon Workers.
Retail Clerks.

SECOND DIVISION:
Electrical Workers.
Painters.
Turners Drum Corps.
Carpenters' Union, No. 551, 111, 1558.
Carpenters of Andover.
Methuen Drum Corps.
Building Laborers.
Plasterers.

THIRD DIVISION:
Mechanics Brass Band.
Weavers.
Loomfixers.
Veteran Firemen Drum Corps.
Dyers and Finishers.
Combers and Carders Union.
Wool Combers, Section Hands and Sixties.
Bay State Drum Corps.
Woolsorters Union.

The first division will form on Lawrence street resting on Essex; second division form on Common street right on Lawrence; third division form on Common street left of Lawrence.

The route of march will be as follows: Form on Lawrence street right resting on Essex, Lawrence to Essex, to Jackson, to Oak, to Tremont, to Broadway, to Park, countermarch to Essex, to Amesbury, to Common, to city hall, where they will be reviewed by the city government.

Thomas Moore resigned as adjutant in his stead. The aids will report to the chief marshal at 8 o'clock on Labor day to receive the sash.

Letter to Harlan P. Wright.

Andover, Mass.

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BRESNAHAN-SPELLMAN

Monday morning Miss Nellie V. Spellman of 10 Temple street and Dennis Bresnahan of Abbott street were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at 10 o'clock in St. Patrick's church by the pastor, Rev. Fr. John J. Gilday, who also officiated at the nuptial mass which was celebrated at the conclusion of the wedding ceremony. The church was filled with friends and relatives of the contracting parties. As the bride procession was entering and leaving the sacred edifice appropriate selections were rendered upon the organ.

Dotted mohair remnants for shirt waist suits, 40c per yard, at Farr's Remnant store, 38 Appleton street, Lawrence.

COUNTY NEWS.

Mary Brown, aged 30, of Salem, was arrested on the charge of shoplifting.

Dodge Bros. of Newburyport, are to build a big addition to their shoe factory.

The taxrate at West Newbury is \$4 a thousand, this is two dollars in advance of last year.

Samuel Lane, a well known Gloucester man, died at his home in that city Sunday.

The Myrtle street car barns at the Boston & Northern road at Lynn are to be greatly improved.

Mrs. Lucy A. Lufkin of Lynn will celebrate the 30th anniversary of her birth in that city today.

It is claimed that the story that the color film is drawn at the casino at Hampton beach is not true.

A crowd of Lynn Poles completely filled up the city hall. He had to go to the hospital.

Congressman E. W. Roberts of the seventh district has opened his campaign for re-election.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Sargent observed at Amesbury last night the 50th anniversary of their marriage.

Enoch C. Lunt, the veteran boat builder of Newburyport recently celebrated the 50th anniversary of his birth.

George Brien, 20 years of age, was arrested and convicted by the police at Lynn, the charge being that he was a "Peeping Tom."

The water commissioners of Gloucester have sent out a note of warning that unless more economy is exercised the city will find itself short of water.

The police expenses in Haverhill jumped \$1000 this year. The business men demanded better police protection and this amount was paid to specialists, bail.

Fasquale Izzo, a Lynn Italian, was slashed by his roommate, Pasquale Polino, in a row over money matters. The slasher escaped. The injured man was badly cut on the forehead.

The Salem police force received a shaking up Monday morning when, as the various reliefs responded to roll call, general orders from City Marshal Field, making numerous shifts all through the force were read.

Arrangements are in effect to try and change city hall, Newburyport, so that it can conform to the new law regarding theatres. If not Newburyport will be without a theatrical house or a place to hold fairs or public meetings until some new building is erected.

The street committee of Beverly has awarded the contract for the building of the new streets at Ryal Side for about \$22,000. The street department put in an estimate of the cost which amounted to about \$22,000.

The Corinthian yacht club sailed its sixth championship race Saturday afternoon in a light southeast breeze and smooth sea. There were 22 starters in the several classes, and 21 finished. It was considered the best club race of the season.

By the terms of the will of the late George F. Blake of Boston, a former resident of Lynnfield Centre, it is understood that the town of Lynnfield will receive \$4000 as a trust fund, the income to be used for the purchase of library books.

Willie Hayward, son of William Hayward of Elmbridge avenue, North Beverly, while stealing a ride on a mail wagon driven by Willard Stanley Saturday afternoon, lost his balance and fell from the wagon to the ground. An automobile ran over him.

There were two classes in the race of the Annquam yacht club Saturday, the handicapped and the dories. The Comforth, John Whittemore, scored a victory over the others in her class. The wind was from the south moderate, and the sea was smooth.

Treasurer William P. Lovell of the Newburyport Shoe company has tendered his resignation and has been accepted as a director in the company. The plans have not been filled and Mr. Lovell has no future plans in view.

The assessors of Beverly have completed their work to the point where they are able to announce the total valuation of the city, and the tax rate for this year. The rate will be \$16.60 on \$1000, an increase of only 10 cents over last year.

With blood streaming from no less than half a dozen bites on his legs and his trousers torn to shreds, Reserve Officer Frank L. Teel of Lynn fought with a savage dog in the woods, where he came upon the animal standing guard over the prostrate bodies of two drunken men.

Sexton P. J. Pendergast of St. Joseph's cemetery in Amesbury made the wise discovery of an unsuccessful attempt at body snatching, which was undoubtedly perpetrated during the night, and the discovery has created much excitement among the townspeople.

Beverly society has just received another "face" in the announcement of the wedding of Alice Burnham, daughter of W. A. Burnham of Frides Crossing and Austin Gray, son of Judge Gray of the N. Y. court of appeals. The wedding was considered "all off."

Miss Ethel Palmer, a pretty waitress at Lynn, who was robbed of a neck chain to which was attached a gold dollar, and a pearl brooch, on Thursday, Aug. 4, succeeded in causing the arrest of the alleged thief Wednesday morning, by a little clever diplomacy, on her part.

Captain Wallace Parsons of the schooner Normahel of Gloucester got an enormous haul of salt mackerel on the last trip, taking 327 barrels at one warpath again Sunday for scorching autoists with the result that two were held up. F. A. Gateley, chauffeur for Hartley C. Bax's of Brunswick, Me., and A. H. Bowditch of Brookline.

The power boat race of the Boston yacht club which will be run at 2 p. m. Aug. 31, will be the biggest event in yachting at Hull this season. Among the speedy auto boats expected to enter the first class is the Mercedes of New York, considered to be one of the fastest of her kind.

George T. Moses, the motorman who was injured in the trolley collision of Lynnfield street, Peabody, last week, remains in a semi-conscious condition at his home in Wakefield, and not much hope is expressed by the attending physicians for his recovery. His injuries were much more serious than was first thought and the man is suffering from a concussion of the brain. Harold Fish, the young man who was also severely injured, is slowly improving and the physicians look for his ultimate recovery.

The superintendent and foremen of the Lynn shoe factories have formed an organization.

Edward Hefferman's horse ran amuck in West Lynn and did some \$200 worth of damage.

Enoch P. Lunt, the veteran ship builder of Newburyport, observed the 50th anniversary of his birth recently.

John Kolosky of Lynn had his head jammed by a falling staging, and is on the dangerous list at the hospital.

Mrs. Mary H. Miller became suddenly ill while at Long beach, Gloucester, yesterday, and died within a short time.

Charles S. Tuckerman of Boston, vice president of the Old Colony Trust company died of apoplexy at his summer home in Ipswich.

The project of a seaside theatre at Plum Island, to take the place of old city hall, Newburyport, is under consideration and performances during the winter are contemplated.

As the repairs on the city hall tower in Gloucester progress it is seen that they were a rude none too soon, for the wooden beams are found to be badly rotted.

The season has been an exceptionally good one along Cape Ann, the various hotels being well filled, and the indications are that the season will last several weeks longer.

The victims of the trolley collision between Wakefield and Lynnfield Aug. 17 are still in a serious condition, although there are chances for all four of the most seriously injured.

One of the worst runaway accidents that has occurred in Newburyport for some time took place and two of Newburyport's popular young school teachers are suffering from its results.

The hen pen of Benj. Pearson, in the rear of his residence on South Main street, Byfield, was broken into and about 30 hens and large chickens were taken.

West Newbury is making preparations for a dramatic entertainment for the benefit of the football team which promises to be the strongest ever organized in that town.

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William Stevens, engineer on the tug Bay Point, who was scalded by steam a week ago, and who was taken to the Anna Jaques hospital for treatment, died at that institution Friday.

Dodge Brothers, the shoe manufacturers of Newburyport will begin at once on an addition to their factory building 52 by 150 feet. The addition is necessitated by the constant increase of business.

John Lloyd of Gloucester has a valuable relic taken from the United States frigate Cumberland after she was sunk by the Confederate gunboat Merrimack at Hampton Roads, in 1862, in the shape of a steel tor from the flag of the ship by George Clark, 3d, a member of Co. F, 25th Massachusetts volunteers, and sent with a letter to Mr. Lloyd.

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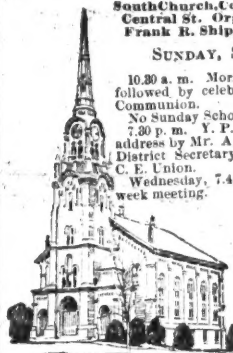
It is not true, that extortionate prices prevail at St. Louis. In fact, the hotel prices are as moderate as one would expect them. Hotel prices are as advertised, and nice clean, comfortable rooms in private houses can be procured very reasonably. The city of St. Louis has done its utmost to enforce the law against all persons who unjustly impose upon strangers in money matters, and it has had a wise and salutary effect.

As to the Exposition itself, well, the general opinion is "the grandest, most magnificent display ever produced." The wonderful "Pike" with its hundreds of interesting entertainments and features; the magnificent art display; the beautiful Plateau of States, where the different states have representation; the large list of foreign exhibits and illumination at night, which far surpasses anything of the kind heretofore attempted, are a few of the noteworthy features. In order to get a detailed idea of the St. Louis Exposition, send to the General Passenger Department, Boston & Maine Railroad, Boston, for their beautiful illustrated booklet. It will be mailed free upon receipt of address.

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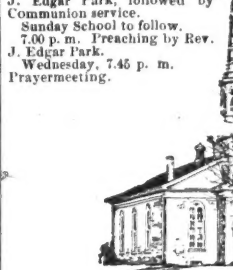
"Allow me to give you a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mr. John Hamlett, of Eagle Pass, Texas. "I suffered one week with bowel trouble and took all kinds of medicine without getting any relief, when my friend, Mr. C. Johnson, a merchant here, advised me to take this remedy. After taking one dose I felt greatly relieved and when I had taken the third dose was entirely cured. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for putting this great remedy in the hands of mankind." For sale by all druggists, Lawrence, W. A. Allen, Andover, C. H. Shattuck, Ballardvale.

ANDOVER CHURCHES.



South Church, Congregational, Central St. Organized 1711. Frank R. Shipman, Pastor.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 4
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship, followed by celebration of the Communion.
No Sunday School to follow.
7:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. with address by Mr. A. H. Beckford, District Secretary of the Mass. C. E. Union.
Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. Mid-week meeting.



West Parish Congregational Church, Organized 1836.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 4
10:30 a. m. Preaching by Rev. J. Edgar Park, followed by Communion service.
Sunday School to follow.
7:30 p. m. Preaching by Rev. J. Edgar Park.
Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting.

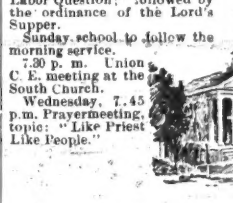


Christ Church, Episcopal, Central Street Organized 1835. Rev. Frederic Palmer, Rector.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY SEPT. 4
10:30 a. m. Holy Communion, with sermon by Rev. Henry L. Foster of Marblehead.
5:00 p. m. Evening Prayer.

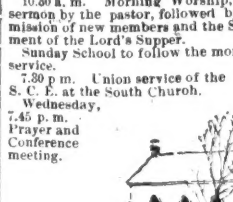
Baptist Church, cor. of Essex and Central Sts. Organized 1833. Rev. A. T. Bellnap, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, SEPT. 4
10:30 a. m. Morning worship, with sermon by the pastor; The Wages Question, followed by the ordinance of the Lord's Supper.
Sunday school to follow the morning service.
7:30 p. m. Union C. E. meeting at the South Church.
Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting, topic: "Like People."



Free Church, Congregational, Railroad St. Organized 1846. Rev. Frederic A. Wilson, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, SEPT. 4
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship, with sermon by the pastor, followed by admission of new members and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
Sunday School to follow the morning service.
7:30 p. m. Union service of the Y. P. S. C. E. at the South Church.
Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. Prayer and Conference meeting.



St. Augustine's Church, Roman Catholic, Essex St. Organized 1850. Rev. Fr. McGowan, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, SEPT. 4
8:30 a. m. Mass and instruction, Sunday School following.
10:30 a. m. High Mass and sermon.
8:30 p. m. Vespers.
First Sunday of each month, Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.
Second Sunday of each month, Communion day for children.
Third Sunday of each month, Communion and Rosary and Arch Confraternity.



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PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Mar-
garet Nicholson, late of Andover, in said
county deceased, intestate.
WHEREAS Jennie R. Hinchcliffe, adminis-
tratrix of the estate of said Margaret Nichol-
son, has presented to said Court, her petition,
praying that said Court may determine the
ownership of certain property conveyed by
said deceased to the petitioner, by an instru-
ment dated January 1st, 1901, a copy of which
instrument is annexed to said petition; that
said Court may determine that said property
belongs to the petitioner individually free
from all trust other than the debts of the in-
testate; and that the petitioner as adminis-
tratrix aforesaid shall not be held to account
for the same.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate
Court, to be holden at Salem, in said County of
Essex, on the nineteenth day of September, A.
D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to
show cause, if any you have against the same,
why said petition is ordered to serve this
citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of
you who may be found in said Commonwealth,
any of you shall not be so found, either by de-
livering a copy thereof to you wherever found,
or by leaving a copy thereof at your usual place
of abode, or by mailing a copy thereof to you
at your last known post-office address, fourteen
days at least, before said Court; and also,
unless it shall be made to appear to the Court
by affidavit that you all have had actual notice
of the proceeding, by publishing the same once
in each week, for three successive weeks in
Andover, the last publication to be seven
days at least, before said Court.
Witness, Rollin E. Harwood, Esquire, Judge
of said Court, this tenth day of August, in the
year one thousand nine hundred and four.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

**LOCAL MAN WON TEN MILE
ROAD RACE.**

In a good hard race Jerry Baudoin
of this city won the 10-mile bicycle
road race Saturday afternoon, out of
a large field of competitors. The first
time prize was taken by William Far-
dell of Worcester, who went the dis-
tance in 25 minutes, 16 1-2 seconds. Ed.
Londergan of Winchester won the sec-
ond time prize and Edward Brecknall
of this city was third. The latter also
received a time prize for local riders.
Jerry Baudoin and James Hanson
also secured time prizes.

ANALYSIS OF CURRENT EVENTS

Classified Explained. No Sensationalism or Partisanship

COMMERCE and INDUSTRY

Labor.

Judge Gray to Decide.

The check weighmen dispute between
the anthracite operators and miners in
Pennsylvania was settled for the pres-
ent by the decision of the anthracite
board of conciliation to refer the ques-
tion to Judge Gray of the United States
court. The operators insisted upon in-
corporating in the resolution a clause
asking Judge Gray to pass upon the
question whether or not Carroll D.
Wright was justified in deciding the
dispute in favor of the miners.

Cripple Creek Rioters Arrested.

Warrants were issued Aug. 25 for
the arrest of twenty-eight prominent
citizens of the Cripple Creek (Colo.)
district, including the ex-mayor of Vic-
tor, bank officials and several mine su-
perintendents, charged with conspiracy
and assault in connection with the riots
of the 20th, when a mob of nonunion
miners led by prominent citizens seized
and ran out of town all the well known
union sympathizers.

Two Thousand Steel Workers Strike.

The Amalgamated Association of
Iron, Steel and Tin Workers declared
strikes Aug. 24 against the Republic
plant of Pittsburgh and the Monongahela
plant at McKeesport to force the
recognition of the union, the company
having refused to sign, though willing
to pay, the wage scale. About 2,000
men were affected.

Efforts to Settle Beef Strike.

Mayor Harrison of Chicago appointed
a committee of aldermen to make an
effort to settle the stockyard strike,
and steps were taken to arrange con-
ferences with President Donnelly and
the packers. As a result of the strike
meat packers in various cities have
virtually declared for the open shop.

Commercial.

Japan Trade Resumed.

Both the Pacific Mail and Occidental
and Oriental steamship companies an-
nounced that beginning with Aug. 30
their steamers would carry freight to
Japan, as formerly. This is the result
of the recent naval victory of Japan,
which ended, at least for the present,
Russian raids in the Pacific.

Not to Merge the Seaboard.

Thomas F. Ryan, who with others
concluded the purchase of 140,000
shares of the Seaboard line stock,
denies the rumored merging of that
line with the Southern railway system
or any other. He says that no other
railroad, directly or indirectly, will con-
trol the Seaboard management.

The Steel War Goes On.

The independent steel manufacturers
of the Pittsburgh district have contin-
ued their war against the trust by se-
curing large contracts for structural
material at prices below those offered
by the trust. On the other hand, the
trust has closed a contract to furnish
the Canadian Pacific railroad with 60,
000 tons of rails at a price far below
the pool rate of \$28. The Iron Age says
that much new business is held up un-
til the situation shall clear up.

Notes.

The Chicago tax board of review has
assessed the taxable property of
Marshall Field, the merchant, at \$40,
000,000. It is believed that this makes
Mr. Field the largest taxpayer in the
United States.

An eastern syndicate has arranged
to buy and consolidate all the local
traction lines of Wheeling, W. Va., for
a cash payment of \$10,000,000.

Industrial.

Our Biggest Steamship's Debut.

The first appearance of the Great
Northern's new twin screw steamship
Minnesota at New York Aug. 22 at-
tracted national interest because she
could fairly claim to be the largest
American built merchantman, being
second only to the White Star liner
Baltic. She had sailed on the preced-

ing Saturday from the New London
(Conn.) yard, where she was built by
the Eastern Shipbuilding company.
This yard was created especially for
the construction of the Minnesota and
her sister ship Dakota, soon to go into
commission. As the Minnesota passed
through the Narrows of New York har-
bor, escorted by four tugboats, the
flags on the United States forts dipped
a salute, while the band played "The
Star Spangled Banner" and harbor
craft blew their whistles in welcome.

Besides her size, she being 630 feet
long, 73 1/2 feet wide and 90 feet from
keel to bridge, the Minnesota is dis-
tinctive in other ways. She is the
only ship afloat that has all her cargo
gear run by electric power, and only
one other merchantman is steered by
electricity. Her plant supplies heat,
light, ventilation and power. While
she is primarily a cargo carrier, the
Minnesota has accommodations for 286
cabin passengers and 2,400 steerage
passengers. The dining saloon will
seat 200 persons. After an overhauling
at Newport News the Minnesota
will take cargo at Philadelphia for the
Pacific by way of Cape Horn.

Notes.

The trainmen and conductors of the
Lackawanna railroad were talking of
a strike because of the announcement
that one trainman for each crew, ex-
cept those in the passenger service,
would be laid off. The company's jus-
tification is said to be the introduction
of the air brake on coal and freight
trains.

The Allan liner Victorian was
launched at Belfast, Ireland, Aug. 25.
She is the largest turbine vessel built,
being 540 feet long by 60 feet beam.
The new steel bridge across the Po-
tomac at Washington, parallel to the
historic Long bridge, went into use
Aug. 25, when the first train passed
over it. It is used by all railroads en-
tering Washington from the south.

RELIGIOUS

St. Louis Presbyterians Hustle.

The failure of the project for union
religious work by the various evan-
gelical bodies in St. Louis during the
world's fair has moved the Presbyteri-
an churches of that city to join in an
aggressive series of tent meetings and
mass meetings near the fair grounds
and in the heart of the city. The
board of home missions has appointed
the Rev. Charles Steidle to assume
charge of this campaign.

Papal Delegate at Manila.

The pope has ratified the appoint-
ment of Father Ambrose Agius, the
Maltese Benedictine, as apostolic dele-
gate to the Philippines in succession to
the late Archbishop Guidi.

SCIENTIFIC

New Wrinkle in Steel Process.

Superintendent Williams of the Du-
quesne (Pa.) Steel works has succeed-
ed in reducing the phosphorus in the
molten iron while still in the ladle by a
simple process without additional
cost. Different materials are used in
lining the ladle so as to cause a chemi-
cal reaction which neutralizes the
phosphorus. If generally accepted this
process will revolutionize steel manu-
facture.

Electric Auto Without Gearing.

Paris papers are discussing a new
method of transmitting power in au-
tomobiles which the Electro Motion
company claims now to have perfected.
The motors and the wheels are one
and the same thing, working together,
running at the same speed and with-
out any kind of intermediary. The
"live axles" can be placed in front or
behind. They receive their motive
power direct from the accumulators,
and the chains, pinions and gears are
things of the past. A carriage
with live axles can travel 20 to 30 per
cent farther than the ordinary car-
riage, for the reason that it is relieved

from lost energy and has no imped-
iments. In a word, weight is reduced,
power increased, heating diminished
and absolute silence obtained, with-
out wear and tear are brought to a mini-
mum. This invention can be applied
to any kind of vehicle.

Miss Peck's Great Climb.

Annie S. Peck, the noted mountain
climber, cabled from La Paz, Bolivia,
Aug. 20, that with her second expedi-
tion she had succeeded in climbing
Mount Illampu. In the Andes, to a
height of 20,000 feet. The height of
this peak, which is one of the three
loftiest in South America, is 21,500
feet. Miss Peck in 1897 reached the
summit of Orizaba, Mexico, at an ele-
vation of 18,000 feet, which was be-
lieved to be the highest point ever
reached by a woman. She has now
beaten her previous record.

Recreative Sports

National Tennis Tournament.

The championship tournament of the
United States National Lawn Tennis
association began at Newport, R. I.,
Aug. 16. Holcomb and Ward, repre-
senting the east, defeated Collins and
Little, the Chicago champions, for the
championship in doubles, the Doherty
brothers of England defaulting.

The silver cup offered by the asso-
ciation for the winner in sing-
les went to Holcombe Ward of
East Orange, N. J., Aug. 24, after
an exciting contest with
W. J. Clothier of Philadelphia,
who on the pre-
ceding day had defeated ex-
Champion Larned. Ward won
in three straight



Holcombe Ward.

sets, 10-8, 6-4 and 9-7. The feature
of his play was light and dainty plac-
ing of the ball.

Atlantic Takes Brenton Cup.

The three masted schooner Atlantic,
owned by Wilson Marshall of Bridge-
port, Conn., won the ocean race for
the Brenton reef cup, sailing 264 miles
from Brenton's reef light ship to Sandy
hook and return in 40 hours, 39 min-
utes and 21 seconds. The race started
Aug. 22 and was finished Aug. 24.

New Swimming Record.

C. M. Daniels of the New York Ath-
letic club made a new world's swim-
ming record for 100 yards Aug. 30 dur-
ing the annual contests of the Atlantic
association and Amateur Athletic
union, making that distance in 62.45
seconds. The previous record was
65.15 seconds, made by Charles Hubert
of the same club.

Miscellaneous

Mrs. Maybrick's Return.

The press of the country featured
extensively the return of Mrs. Flor-
ence Maybrick to her native land a
free woman after fifteen years in En-
glish prisons, charged with murdering
her husband. When she arrived at
New York on the Vaderland, Aug. 23,
accompanied by her lawyer, Mr. Hay-
den, she gave out a signed statement
expressing her gratitude and explain-
ing that what she needed was quiet
and rest. After a day's stay at a New
York hotel Mrs. Maybrick went to El-
lenville, N. Y., in the Catskills, for a
period of rest. She is expected to re-
side at her old home, Mobile, Ala.,
after her mother returns from Europe.

Irish Leader Arrives.

John E. Redmond, parliamentary
leader of the Irish party, and two other
Irish M. P.'s arrived at New York Aug.
24 to attend the second annual conven-
tion of the Irish League of America.

Perdicaris' Story.

What might be called a magazine
news scoop has been made by Leslie's
Monthly, the September issue of which
contains an account of the kidnapping
of Ion Perdicaris in Morocco written
by himself. Mr. Perdicaris' story of
his captivity is especially interesting
for its apology for his captor, Raisuli,
who he says is in reality "a patriot"
driven to desperation "by the legalized
lawlessness of the constituted authori-
ties."

Accidents.

A terrific tornado swept over the
cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis
Aug. 20, causing the death of fifteen
persons and a property loss of millions.
Trees were uprooted, telegraph poles
blown down and bridges swept away.
Five persons were killed Aug. 20 at
Minden, Mo., a station on the Nevada
and Minden branch of the Missouri
Pacific railroad, by the explosion of a
car of dynamite.

Two men were blown forty-five feet
by a hot air explosion during a fire
which destroyed the power house of
the A. W. Burrett Lumber company at
Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 20. Both men
were fatally injured.

A tornado which swept through
Chautauque county Aug. 25 killed four
persons and injured many at the town
of Stockton, where a picnic was in
progress.

Get Rid of Scrofula

Bunches, eruptions, inflammations, sore-
ness of the eyelids and ears, diseases of the
bones, rickets, dyspepsia, catarrh, wasting,
are only some of the troubles it causes.
It is a very active evil, making havoc of
the whole system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Eradicates it, cures all its manifestations
and builds up the whole system.
Accept no substitute.

CRICKET

LAWRENCE 56; LYNN WAN- DERERS 44.

LYNN, Aug. 27—Lawrence team
came to this city this afternoon and
defeated Lynn Wanderers, 56 to 44.
Pearson and Hodgson for the visitors
played a great game, and Jeffries for
Lynn, was high man. The score:

LAWRENCE.	
Pearson b Young	12
Hodgson b Jeffries b Young	56
Wainwright b Fairburn	0
Woodcock b Harrison b Fairburn	0
Walker c J. Bennett b Young	0
Bruce b Fairburn	0
Hill not out	4
Polgreen c Young b Fairburn	6
Furneau c J. Bennett b Fairburn	0
Johnson c J. Bennett b Fairburn	1
Eastwood b Fairburn	0
Extras	7
Total	56

LYNN WANDERERS.	
E. Bennett b Walker	0
Hood b Walker	0
Jeffries b Walker	12
Young b Furneau	5
Jeffs c Furneau b Walker	5
Singleton c Bruce b Walker	0
Fairburn b Walker	0
Low c Johnson b Furneau	5
S. Bennett b Furneau	6
Harrison not out	1
I. Bennett not out	0
Extras	4
Total	44

MERRIMACK 43; MOHAIR 34.

The Merrimack cricket team of
this city defeated the Mohairs at Low-
ell in an exciting game Saturday af-
ternoon, 43 to 34. The batting of the
Mohairs was not up to the average of
that team, and the visitors bowled,
batted and fielded excellently. Score:

MOHAIRS.	
Thorpe c Taylor b Ogden	0
Moseley c Moss b Ogden	6
Priestley c Moss b Ogden	0
Shaw b Ogden	0
Allen b Taylor	5
Haughton b Ogden	13
Whittaker run out	3
Earlson run out	4
Shuttleworth b Taylor	0
Waite not out	0
Extras	1
Total	34

MERRIMACKS.	
Longbottom c Moseley b Allen	2
J. Ogden c Moseley b Thorpe	25
Gill thrown out	0
Taylor c Thorpe b Shaw	25
R. Ogden b Allen	0
Moss c Priestley b Thorpe	2
Haddon b Allen	0
Gordon b Thorpe	3
Coates run out	1
Wilkinson b Thorpe	1
Ogden not out	3
Extras	2
Total	43

The Methuen cricket eleven are the
winners of the pennant for this season
in the Merrimack Valley Cricket
league. By defeating the U. S. Bunt-
ing team of Lowell in an easy game
on Saturday afternoon on the Barker
street grounds.

METHUEN.

Hodgson, b T. Nelson	5
Boocock, b Birtwhistle	0
W. Hamer, c Birtwhistle, b Scholes	17
Pye, not out	2
Tetley, not out	2

Total for three wickets 26
Marden, Briggs, Timms, Highton, D.
Hamer, Edleston to bat.

BUNTING.

Simpson b Timms	1
Birtwhistle c and b Timms	0
Scholes b Hamer	2
T. Nelson b Timms	0
Williams b Hamer	2
Townsend b Timms	4
W. Nelson c and b Hamer	5
Marsden c and b Timms	4
Robinson not out	0
Clayton run out	0
Casey b Timms	0
Extras	3
Total	24

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T. W. Lawson.

Lawson's Startling Chapter of High Finance

Thomas W. Lawson gets down to facts and figures in the second
part of his story of Amalgamated in the September Everybody's. He
first owns up to his participation in the Rogers-Rockefeller deal by
which the Daly-Haggin-Tevis properties purchased for \$36,000,000 were
foisted upon the public with the "Standard Oil" O. K.
at \$75,000,000 capitalization. Mr. Lawson says,
however, that he protested against this course, but
was powerless to prevent it, and consented only on cer-
tain agreements, which were afterward disregarded.
He tells with detail how the deal was carried out by
manipulating the name and resources of the National
City bank of New York and using employees as dum-
my directors of a fake corporation. In this con-
nection the claim is made that the Standard Oil system
is based on just such chicanery, in which vast
fortunes have been actually created for the benefit
of private individuals. He says that there exists
today "uncontrolled in the hands of a set of men a
power to make dollars from nothing," and that it is possible today for
the beneficiaries of this system to "steer" the selection of the candi-
dates of both the great parties for the highest office. He explains this
not on the theory that there are more dishonest men now than former-
ly, but by saying that at no other period in our history "has honesty
been so completely steered by dishonesty."

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The Problem of Old Age.

"I can do just as much work as I ever could"; thus the good man or woman of three score and more answers the oft expressed reminder from a son or daughter or kindly employer to "go easy." And what a sad situation it so often is! Grit is there, the strong will is still in control, the determination and know how are as prominent as ever, but the power supply is weakened, with the indicator failing to show it.

"What shall be done with the old folks?" is the great and burning question today as it has never been before. The strenuous life is not a laughing matter, it is a stern reality and in the wake of its rushing, roaring, driving passage there are being left each year, an increasing number of aged men and women. And these men and women are in most cases not left as they used to be with little eggs secure for the rainy day, but they are hardly more than square with the world when the decline sets in. It is not alone the strenuous life that cuts them off because they are too old, but it has been a strenuous life all along and it has been all along demanding their all for sustenance, to say nothing of a "nest egg."

A generation ago the street car traveller rode in a little bob-tailed car drawn by a pair of horses. The horses had hardly energy enough to know they were harnessed, and their driver was nearly always a man over fifty, holding the position because it was very much of an "easy job." Today the street car traveller jumps into an electric car and with his eye upon his watch frets away a dozen minutes while half as many miles are covered to his destination. The driver is a clear headed, nifty man of thirty or forty, quick to see, and prompt to act, willing to take the risk but running without a murmur the pace which at fifty is bound to kill his best energies.

This is but one of the branches of activity, but do you know of any branch where the same restless program does not prevail? It is rush all along the line, work or play the story is the same. And the skinnings from the top or the dregs in the bottom are always the same—the old man and the old woman. A few are fortunate enough to have children or friends to care for them, a few are in line for the few old folks' jobs, a few find rest in old folk homes, but the mass, what of them?

A steam railroad conductor recently said to the writer. "I have been working for this road forty three years; I am getting pretty old to stand this wear and tear, but I can't stop for I cannot afford to do nothing, and this is all I know." He had reached the place where he began to realize his own weakness, and in further conversation it became clear that he was troubled over the future days in his declining years, and he is one of thousands.

There are many problems ahead of our great nation of strenuousity, but there is none larger than that of what to do with the old and inactive.

Editorial Cinders.

The last holiday of the summer is scheduled for next Monday when "Labor Day" offers the entertainment. Contrary to the reputation of the day when housewives begin their weekly round of real labor by hanging out a big washing the reason for having "Labor Day" on Monday seems to be the opportunity thus afforded for a three days holiday instead of one. As the grand wind-up of the summer's recreation it will afford an opportunity for many enjoyable outings. As a demonstration of labor's power it is still but a feeble infant, with the millions of real workers outside of any active part in it.

There are very interesting rumors about big schools in Andover this year. With the officials themselves ignorant as to how many boys and girls may actually "turn up" it is of course impossible to make any accurate forecast, but the inquiries are very numerous. Well this is just as it should be, and inquiries are bound to be followed by very many actualities. Neither boys and girls nor mothers and fathers can resist the attractions of Andover and its schools, and if one is full the other is bound to be.

More Photographic Don'ts.

Don't forget that the best photographs in the world always have been and always will be, made by one man—avoid the "picture mills."
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GRANGERS MAKE MERRY

Outing at Canobie Lake Held Yesterday a Gigantic Success.

Canobie lake park, charming and beautiful, the pride of two states, Massachusetts and New Hampshire, was the mecca for Patrons of Husbandry from far and near on Thursday when the grangers of Andover, North Andover, Methuen, Haverhill and Salem, N. H., united in holding their annual outing at this deservedly popular inland resort. It was a very successful affair in every detail, perhaps the most successful ever held. The presence of National Master Hon. Aaron Jones of South Bend, Indiana, made it of more than ordinary importance to the members of this strong and influential order. High officers of the Massachusetts and New Hampshire state granges were also in attendance. It was impossible for Governor N. J. Batchelder, of New Hampshire, master of the State Grange, to be present as was expected.

Not until just before noon did the grangers begin to arrive, and then the cars from all directions brought in their full quota of the care free tillers of the soil, accompanied by their wives and children. The private grove was reserved for their use. Under the big tent many of them disposed of the lunches they had brought with them while others sat down to dinner in the pavilion. A private table was set in the south wing for the invited guests who were escorted to dinner by lady officers of the Essex County Pomona Grange.

The management of the park kindly tendered the use of the open air theatre for the speaking which commenced shortly after 1 o'clock. Not until the picnic had gathered within this enclosure was it realized how many people were present.

The many hundred filled the entire central portion of the seats and run over into the side rows. Representatives were present from all the granges in Essex County. These are Amesbury, Andover, Haverhill, Laurel of West Newbury, Merrimack, Methuen, North Andover, Rowley, Salisbury, Topsfield, West Boxford, West Newbury, and the following three which expect to come into membership this winter. These are: Bradford, Groveland and Georgetown. Among the granges represented outside of Essex county were: Dracut, Tewksbury, Billerica, Salem, N. H., Entertainer of Salem, N. H., Pelham, N. H., Derry N. H., Windham, N. H., and Oakland, Me.

The officers of Essex County Pomona Grange are as follows: George L. Averill of Andover, master, Ira J. Webster of Haverhill, overseer, Mrs. Lizzie M. Newell of West Newbury, lecturer, John Hibbs of Laurel grange, West Newbury, steward, George Dow of Salisbury, assistant steward, Rev. Mr. Graham of West Newbury, chaplain, Miss Matilda B. Lund of West Boxford secretary, E. A. Emerson of Haverhill treasurer, Samuel H. Bailey of Andover, gate keeper, Mr. Sargent of Amesbury, Pomona, Mr. Jordan of Topsfield, Flora, Miss Alice Hoyt of Merrimack, Ceres and Mrs. Walter H. Hayes of North Andover, lady assistant steward.

The National Master was the most important speaker present. A typical Westerner, he was received with great enthusiasm. The Hon. Mr. Jones has been an incumbent of his present office for the past seven years. He completes a tour of the United States every two years, visiting every state in the Union. The meeting at Canobie lake was the last one he will appear at on this trip which has lasted seven weeks. In that time he has been through the states of Ohio, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maine, New Hampshire, Connecticut, "King of the Maine Am I." George S. Ladd, master of the Massachusetts state grange spoke briefly in introducing C. D. Richardson of West Brookfield, overseer of the Massachusetts state grange. Master Ladd expressed the joy he felt at seeing the exercises at the theatre opened with a vocal solo by Deputy E. Chapman of Ludlow, Mass. He sang very nicely the selection, "King of the Maine Am I." George S. 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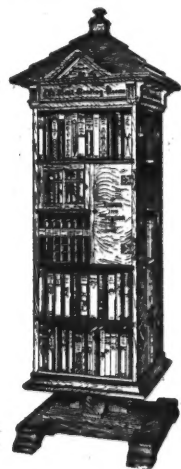
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Boston & Northern Notes.

It is expected that by the end of the week a new schedule of running time as well as a new arrangement whereby the men are assigned to cars, will go into effect on the Boston & Northern system. The men on the line were notified of the proposed change last week and they have already begun selecting their trips in accordance with the new plan. By this new plan, the cars in regular service are assigned to trips varying in length from 10 hours down to seven, the first trips being of 10 hours the next ten being of 9 1/2 hours or over, and the remainder shorter. The men, who are numbered according to their term of service will be given the chance of cars in rotation. One man who stands No. 1 on the list getting the first choice and No. 2 the second, etc. It is said that this plan was suggested by one of the motormen. It is said that those who take the 9 1/2 or 9 3/4 hour trips will be paid for the actual hours of service, instead of being paid for a full ten hours as now.

An order to equip all open cars with a guard rail has been issued by the Boston & Northern management. The order is a general one affecting all the various divisions of the Boston & Northern street railway, and has been introduced to protect the passengers. Many of the large cars are now equipped with guard rails which prevent passengers from getting off the cars on both sides, and the conductors will be held to a strict accountability of enforcing the new rule with all electric cars on the local division equipped with the guard rail. It has been necessary on many of the open cars used on the Lawrence division to equip them with new handle bars, and the guard rails are so constructed that on the single truck electric the guard rails run the entire length.

WEST PARISH.

Mrs. Southard and daughter Dorothy, who have been occupying the Follansbee cottage for the past three weeks, have returned to their home in Lynn.

Mrs. Jaquith and Mrs. Smith spent last Friday with Miss Mary Hardy.

C. L. Wilson of the Essex Poultry Farm, has been spending a week at Cambridge Lake.

Wesley B. Hardy of Roxbury, spent a few days this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hardy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Way are enjoying a trip to Salem Willows today.

Mrs. Warren Tuck is spending a few days in Goffstown, N. H.

Mrs. Frank Kelsey returned to her home in Toledo, Ohio, today, after a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Russell.

Miss Ruth Shaw of Blanchard street, has returned from a week's visit at Jamaica Plain.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peirce of Somerville have been occupying Klondike Cottage at Haggett's Pond this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hardy spent Sunday with Mrs. Hardy's sister in Somerville.

Miss Lena Cheever of Lowell is visiting her cousin, Helena Hardy.

Marriage.

August 31, at the Rectory, 29 Central street, Andover, by Rev. Frederic Palmer, Frank E. Ward and Rosa Morgan, both of Andover.

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PUBLIC SCHOOLS IMPROVEMENTS

Work Progressing Rapidly for Opening Day—The
Teachers for 1904-1905.

This has been the busiest summer the Andover school board has ever known. While it has always been the practice to make repairs and improvements in the school buildings during the long vacation never before have such extensive alterations been undertaken as have been under way this season. The task has been a most difficult one and there is still much to do before it can be said to be completed.

Every effort has been made to push the work of establishing a central heating plant and modern sanitary arrangements at the Pynchard, John Dove and Stowe schools with the greatest possible rapidity, but there have been unavoidable delays which have hindered and, although good progress has been made, the work is not so far along as the authorities would wish at a time so close to the date of opening the schools for the fall term, Sept. 12.

Those in charge of the work confidently expect to be able to open John Dove and Stowe schools at the appointed time, but there is a possibility that the opening of the Pynchard High school will have to be deferred for a few days. The school board has taken no action about extending the date for opening Pynchard as the members hope that it will be unnecessary. They are going to try in every way they can to avoid such a move, but as things are now they are unable to say positively that a slight delay in opening can be prevented.

The improvements which are being made will cost the town \$45,000 and will make the equipment of the local public schools one of which the town may well feel proud. Andover schools, both public and private, have long stood in the first rank on educational lines and with proper heating and sanitation provided in the buildings, safe guarding the health and ensuring the comfort of pupils and teachers, they will be all the more entitled to their high classification. No attempt will be made yet awhile to open the new building in which the central heating will be established. The contractors have not promised to complete the structure before Oct. 1. Quarters for the kindergarten will be provided in the new building, but the old kindergarten rooms will be used until the new ones are ready so that there will be no delay in opening the school for the little ones.

The New Building.

The new building which is located just east of the John Dove school house, has been made only one story in height at present, but, as was planned, the roof has been so constructed that it can be raised without reconstruction to allow for additional stories. The foundation has also been built with a view to subsequent additions to the building.

The boilers for the central heating plant which were made at the Merrimac boiler works in Lawrence, are being installed in the east portion of the basement. The boilers are to be set in the south end and the coal pocket will be located in the north end, the boiler room running the entire length of the building. From this room heat will be supplied to four school buildings—the John Dove, Stowe and Pynchard High schools and the new structure.

The new arrangement will not cause any additional expense in regard to janitor service, since hereafter the janitor will have only one fire to tend when in previous years he has had seven fires to care for. Many had erroneously supposed that the services of an engineer in addition to extra janitors would be necessary in consequence of the establishing of a central heating plant but when one takes into consideration the fact that the new plant concentrates rather than enlarges the work of attending the heating apparatus it is apparent that one man can do the work without difficulty.

The heat is to be conveyed from the central plant through cast iron steam pipes laid in conduits leading to the three other buildings. The iron pipes will rest on rollers to allow for the expansion and contraction of the pipes.

Two large rooms, sanitariums and store-rooms occupy the space outside the boiler room in the basement of the new structure.

There are four large class rooms on the main floor. The kindergarten quarters will be on the south and one of the north rooms will be used for sloyd work.

A covered passage will lead from the new structure to the John Dove building.

Changes in John Dove Building.

The interior of the basement of the John Dove school has been considerably changed as a result of the arrangement.

The old boiler rooms have been converted into well equipped sanitariums and a retiring room for the teachers has been provided, an innovation which is sure to be appreciated. The room is in the basement and is small but it will furnish private accommodations which have been badly needed. The room will be plainly but attractively furnished. The floor will be carpeted and it will be fitted up with chairs, a lounge, table, mirror, etc.

Another new feature is a supply room in the basement, where text books, chalk, and other articles can be stored until they are needed.

A system of electric bells, connecting the various rooms, similar to that in use at the Pynchard and Stowe schools, has been installed. In some of the rooms new desks have been provided. They are adjustable, a marked improvement over the old style.

About \$800 worth of grading has been done about this building and the new one.

Changes at Pynchard.

The introduction of new systems in old buildings generally entails more work than is at first counted on and the

present work so far as it applies to the Pynchard school is no exception to the rule. Changes which were not anticipated have proved necessary. Four chimneys have been torn down and in their place ventilating shafts have been installed. This change was ordered by the state inspector of public buildings. The floor of the boys' basement had to be lowered over a foot because of the space taken up by the ventilating ducts.

Two closets north of the corridor on the main floor have been made into a private office for the principal of the school. Such a room has been greatly needed.

A large locker room has been fitted up for the boys in the basement and a private toilet room has been provided for the male teachers. The sanitariums have been located in the space formerly occupied by the coal bin.

In the girls' basement a room has been set apart as a dressing room for their use and the lady teachers will have a retiring room of their own.

Notes.

New sanitariums have been installed at the Indian Ridge and Bradlee school houses and considerable grading of the grounds about them has been done.

Supt. Palmer and Chairman Alden of the school board have given a great deal of time to looking after the work and have done all in their power to push it along. The principal delay has been caused by the late arrival of the slate. It was very difficult to get the material because of the fact that practically all the big concerns handling it had received large orders, considerable of which were government work, before the order for the local buildings was placed.

A new furnace is to be installed at the Frye Village school and another year it is proposed to add a boiler. Decorator Morton of Haverhill is retreating the interior of the Indian Ridge school house.

Private rooms for teachers have been fitted up at both the Bradlee and Indian Ridge schools.

The Abbott school has been discontinued, having been consolidated with the North school.

The Teaching Force.

Following is a list of the public school teachers at the various schools:

PYNCHARD.

Charles L. Curtis, principal, instructor in Greek and Latin.

George W. Low, sciences.

Blanche S. Jacobs, English literature and composition.

Florence E. Bailey, French and German.

Grace Lina Burtt, mathematics.

Susan L. Austin, history.

Alice A. Brown, commercial branches.

STOWE SCHOOL.

Anna E. Chase, grade IX and principal.

Lillian S. Adams, grade VIII.

Grace Hill, grade VII.

Gertrude J. Green, grade VI.

Carolyn A. Dean, grade V.

Ida E. Jenkins, special.

JOHN DOVE SCHOOL.

Annie M. Downes, grade IV and principal.

Alice S. Coutts, grade III.

Mary E. Milligan, grade III and II.

Jennie S. Abbott, grade II.

Adelle H. Day, grade I.

Marion Paine, grade I.

Evelyn P. Reed, principal kindergarten.

Mary E. Scott, kindergarten assistant.

INDIAN RIDGE SCHOOL.

Marcia Richards, grades VIII and VII and principal.

Alice Turner, grades VI and V.

Jean A. Birnie, grade IV.

Ethel R. Olesman, grades III and II.

Helena M. Lindsay, grade I.

Florance M. Prevost, principal kindergarten.

BRADLEE SCHOOL.

Clara A. Putnam, grades IX and VIII and principal.

Jessie B. F. Greene, grades VII and VI (Miss Greene has been granted a year's leave of absence and while a substitute has been practically agreed upon the school board has made no election yet.)

Cecilia A. Kydd, grades V and IV.

Ruby S. Copeland, grades III and II (Miss Copeland has been granted leave of absence for the fall term and her substitute has yet not been officially named.)

Florence I. Abbott, grade I.

Florance M. Prevost, kindergarten.

Mary E. Scott, kindergarten assistant.

RICHARDSON SCHOOL.

Helen W. Battles, grades III, II and I.

Caroline J. Burtt, grades VI, V, IV.

WEST CENTRE SCHOOL.

Emily F. Carleton.

NORTH SCHOOL.

Mabel S. Robinson.

BAILEY SCHOOL.

Ethel Worcester.

OSGOOD SCHOOL.

Anne J. Caton.

SPECIAL TEACHERS.

Katherine D. Whitman, drawing.

Elizabeth Hoar, music.

Edna P. Carret, physical training.

Bessie P. Goldsmith, sewing and cooking.

E. W. Pitman is the contractor who is constructing the new building. W. H. Welch is installing the heating apparatus and the plumbing in the Pynchard and John Dove schools. The plumbing work at the Indian Ridge and Bradlee schools has been done by Saunders. Hardy and Cole have done the carpenter work at these two schools, also at the John Dove school.

Letter: Carrier James Feeney has resumed his duties after his annual vacation.

James Napier and Fred Hulme attended the A. O. U. W. convention in Boston Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Leonard Brown have been spending a few days at the North Shore this week.

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BASEBALL

One of the best fought and most interesting baseball games ever played here took place on the town's new athletic grounds Saturday afternoon, when the Andover Athletic association nine defeated the strong Union team 4 to 3, in a twelve inning contest.

The series between the teams now stands a tie, each nine having won one contest, and a third and deciding game is to be played.

Bart Hayes pitched a great game for the Association, having 14 strikeouts and allowing but two hits. He was well supported by catcher Maloney. Hilton also pitched a good game for the Union. The other fielding features were contributed by Stewart, the Association nine's shortstop and Saunders, who played third base for the Union. The Association team scored in the first inning. Maloney drew a base on balls and reached home on a misplay when an attempt was made to throw him out at second.

There was no more scoring until the sixth when the Association nine added two runs. Maloney opened up in this inning but failed to connect with the sphere. Stewart hit safely but was caught later at third. Reed walked to first and was safe at second on an attempt to force him out at second after he had hit the infield. Hayes and Knipes contributed timely singles and Reed and Kydd scored. Moynihan flied out.

In the seventh inning two hits and a wild throw by Reed let in two runs for the Union. Lawson and Hodnett scoring.

In the eighth the Union tied the score, Prescott, after being hit by the ball, circling the bases, aided by Stewart's error.

There was no more scoring until the twelfth, Stewart being sent around the bases on hits by Reed and Kydd. This proved to be the winning run as the Union were shut out in their half.

The score:

	ANDOVER A. A.	UNIONS.
Maloney c.....	5 1 2 2 16 1 0	5 0 0 0 2 2 0
Stewart ss.....	6 1 2 2 1 4 0	4 1 0 0 2 2 0
Reed 3b.....	4 1 2 2 1 3 0	5 0 0 0 3 3 0
Kydd rf.....	6 1 2 3 0 0 0	5 0 1 1 0 0 1
Hayes p.....	5 0 1 1 0 0 1	5 0 1 1 0 0 0
Knipes lf.....	5 0 1 1 0 0 0	5 0 1 1 15 2 0
Moynihan lb.....	5 0 1 1 15 2 0	5 0 1 1 2 4 0
Crowley 2b.....	5 0 1 1 2 4 0	5 0 2 2 0 0 0
Noian cf.....	5 0 2 2 0 0 0	
Total.....	46 4 14 15 35 13 3	40 3 2 2 36 18 1

Ballardvale defeated the West Ends of Lawrence on the Plains, Saturday afternoon by a score of 9 to 7. For Ballardvale, Drisco pitched winning ball, striking out 14 men. He was well supported by Hennessey who threw out two men at second base. Bradley, P. Hennessey and A. Hennessey batted strongly. For the West Ends Stott pitched a good game, striking out 9 men and only giving one base on balls. The batting of Dolan, Maxwell and Rhoades was strong and timely. The outfielding of Libervau was one of the best features of the game and was in marked contrast to the weird work of some of the outfielders.

The score:

	BALLARDVALE.	WEST ENDS.
Bradley 2b.....	4 1 2 3 2 1 0	4 1 1 1 0 0 0
O'Donnell lf.....	4 1 1 1 0 0 0	4 1 1 1 2 1 0
W. Whistley 3b.....	4 1 1 1 2 1 0	4 1 2 2 6 0 0
P. Hennessey lb.....	4 1 2 2 6 0 0	4 2 2 2 14 3 1
A. Hennessey c.....	4 2 2 2 14 3 1	4 0 1 1 0 0 2
Dearborn rf.....	4 0 1 1 0 0 2	4 0 0 0 0 0 3
J. Whistley m.....	4 0 0 0 0 0 3	3 1 0 0 1 0 2
Lynch ss.....	3 1 0 0 1 0 2	4 2 1 1 1 3 0
Drisko p.....	4 2 1 1 1 3 0	
Totals.....	35 9 10 11 26 8 8	38 7 9 10 24 6 5

Libervau m and ss..... 5 1 2 3 0 0 1
Hennessey lf..... 4 0 0 0 3 0 0
Wagner 2b..... 4 1 0 0 2 1 0
Rhoades lf..... 5 2 2 2 7 0 0
McDermott 3b..... 5 1 1 1 1 1 2
Dolan c..... 5 1 3 3 8 1 2
Gilfoyle rf..... 4 1 1 1 1 0 0
Hallward ss..... 2 0 0 0 1 0 0
Humphrey m..... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0
Stott p..... 2 0 0 0 1 1 0

Two-base hit, Kydd. Double plays, Hodnett and Lawson, Stott, Lawson and Hodnett. First base on balls, by Hayes 2, by Hilton 3. Hit by pitched ball, Prescott. Struck out, by Hayes 14, by Hilton 6. Passed ball, Kelly. Time 2 hrs 35 min.

Ballardvale defeated the West Ends of Lawrence on the Plains, Saturday afternoon by a score of 9 to 7. For Ballardvale, Drisco pitched winning ball, striking out 14 men. He was well supported by Hennessey who threw out two men at second base. Bradley, P. Hennessey and A. Hennessey batted strongly. For the West Ends Stott pitched a good game, striking out 9 men and only giving one base on balls. The batting of Dolan, Maxwell and Rhoades was strong and timely. The outfielding of Libervau was one of the best features of the game and was in marked contrast to the weird work of some of the outfielders.

The score:

	BALLARDVALE.	WEST ENDS.
Bradley 2b.....	4 1 2 3 2 1 0	4 1 1 1 0 0 0
O'Donnell lf.....	4 1 1 1 0 0 0	4 1 1 1 2 1 0
W. Whistley 3b.....	4 1 1 1 2 1 0	4 1 2 2 6 0 0
P. Hennessey lb.....	4 1 2 2 6 0 0	4 2 2 2 14 3 1
A. Hennessey c.....	4 2 2 2 14 3 1	4 0 1 1 0 0 2
Dearborn rf.....	4 0 1 1 0 0 2	4 0 0 0 0 0 3
J. Whistley m.....	4 0 0 0 0 0 3	3 1 0 0 1 0 2
Lynch ss.....	3 1 0 0 1 0 2	4 2 1 1 1 3 0
Drisko p.....	4 2 1 1 1 3 0	
Totals.....	35 9 10 11 26 8 8	38 7 9 10 24 6 5

Libervau m and ss..... 5 1 2 3 0 0 1
Hennessey lf..... 4 0 0 0 3 0 0
Wagner 2b..... 4 1 0 0 2 1 0
Rhoades lf..... 5 2 2 2 7 0 0
McDermott 3b..... 5 1 1 1 1 1 2
Dolan c..... 5 1 3 3 8 1 2
Gilfoyle rf..... 4 1 1 1 1 0 0
Hallward ss..... 2 0 0 0 1 0 0
Humphrey m..... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0
Stott p..... 2 0 0 0 1 1 0

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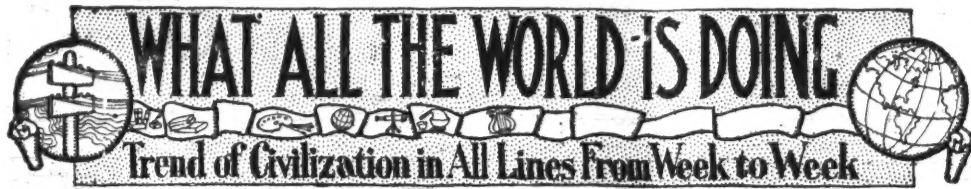
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POLITICS and GOVERNMENT

Executive.

Pension Roll Decreasing.

Pension Commissioner Ware in his annual report shows an unexpended balance of \$1,706,508, the total outlay for the year being \$144,712,787. During the year 47,374 persons were added to the pension rolls, 328 by special act of congress and the balance by the pension bureau. During the same period 49,157 pensioners were dropped from the rolls. The report refers to the order issued by the commissioner March 15 last, in which age is made an evidence of disability, and says that in three and a half months of its operation only 8 per cent of the pensioners have asked for increase under its terms. The total number on the roll was 994,702, apportioned as follows: War of Revolution, 3; war of 1812, 919; Indian war, 5,886; Mexican war, 13,035; civil war, 945,358; Spanish war, 16,829; regular establishment, 12,734. The commissioner recommends laws causing a pensioner to forfeit his pension on becoming a convict, to prohibit pensioning women who marry soldiers after the soldiers receive a pension and to pension superannuated clerks.

To Watch Food Importations.

To prevent the importation of impure foods into the United States the department of agriculture has authorized a chemical laboratory to be opened at New York. Five expert chemists have been selected by the civil service commission to be installed on this work. Samples will be taken direct from each cargo to the laboratory, there to be analyzed, instead of being sent to Washington, as heretofore. Other laboratories are to be established at various ports.

Chicago's Mail Tube Service.

A new system of pneumatic brass tubes for the quick transportation of mail bags from railroad stations and other important points to the central postoffice was formally installed and accepted by the postmaster general at Chicago last week. It is the largest system of its kind yet installed in an American city.

Against Naval Wireless Control.

Secretary of the Navy Taft made known in a letter to President Roosevelt his disapproval of the plans giving the navy department control of all wireless telegraph stations. He says that it would be sufficient for the joint navy and army boards in time of peace to keep a record of all stations, both private and public, with power in the navy department to assume control of them in time of war.

Notes.

During the last fiscal year more than 16,000,000 acres of public land were disposed of, 258,000 less than the year before. The cash received amounted to more than \$3,700,000.

Major General Wood in the Philippines.

Major General Wood in the Philippines has organized four fighting companies of 100 men each to operate independently of the regular forces for the capture and destruction of the Moros under Datto Ali. The rebels have adopted guerrilla tactics.

Arrangements have been completed.

with two telephone companies whereby the weather bureau at Pittsburg, Pa., will introduce the idea of sending out local forecasts by telephone every day to farmers and remote villages.

The department of agriculture has

addressed a circular to various commission merchants asking for information regarding their methods of preserving food products by refrigeration.

The government printing office for

the first time in its history is using a type machine. It is a monotype machine, and the output is matter for the Patent Office Gazette.

The war department has authorized

the national board for the promotion of rifle practice to carry out a plan for the formation of a national reserve.

Foreign.

To Head Off Russian Raiders.

The reported detention of several British merchantmen in South African waters by the Russian volunteer steamer Smolensk again aroused the ire of the British public, and Prime Minister Balfour ordered two cruisers to start from the Cape of Good Hope with instructions to head off the Smolensk and Petersburg and notify them not to interfere with neutral shipping. He said that this action was taken on the request of the Russian government. The announcement was made in response to an appeal by a committee from the chamber of commerce.

Christening of the Czarowitz.

Aug. 24 at the Russian capital, and indeed throughout the country, was a day of universal festivity on account of the christening of the heir to the throne.

thron.

This ceremony took place in the chapel of Peterhof palace with solemn religious rites. The infant had been brought in a golden state carriage drawn by eight white horses. The baby gave a lusty yell when he was immersed in the sacred fountain. Bells chimed and guns boomed when the ceremony had been completed.

A proclamation was issued the same day abolishing corporal punishment among the rural classes and remitting arrests for first offenses of the army and navy. It grants amnesty to Finns who emigrated without authorization and reduces the sentence for all common law offenses except assassination. It sets apart \$1,500,000 from the state funds for the purpose of forming an inalienable fund for the benefit of landless people in Finland.

Notes.

During the session of the Franco-Spanish convention at Paris Aug. 20 an agreement was signed providing for the construction of three railway lines across the Pyrenees. The lines are expected to be completed within three years, and it is anticipated that they will greatly increase friendly and commercial relations between the two countries.

President Castro of Venezuela has

refused to comply with Minister Bowen's request for the restoration of the property of the New York and Bermudez Asphalt company in Venezuela pending legal proceedings. The Venezuelan court is to announce its decision next month.

The holy synod of Russia has modified

the divorce laws so as to reduce from seven to two years the period during which unfaithful husbands or wives may not marry again provided the offenders agree to do public penance.

The Austrian government has respectfully

declined the offer of the Vatican to replace France as a protector of the Catholics in the far east. This is expected to result in each country's looking after its own Catholic citizens hereafter.

General.

Gossip of the Campaign.

The Democratic campaign in New York state was started aggressively Aug. 25 in two big meetings, one at Brooklyn, addressed by Senator Bailey of Texas, and the other at Deposit, addressed by ex-Senator Hill. Mr. Hill made a fierce attack on Theodore Roosevelt, calling him "the man of blood and thunder" under whose foundation of a colonial system, contrary to the spirit of the constitution, had been laid. When Bryan and Cleveland could stand on the same platform he thought it was time that Democrats got together.

Mr. Bailey also assailed the Roosevelt personality, contrasting "the rough rider" to "the judge." He referred to the president as standing with his foot on the constitution and his sword in his hand, while the Democratic candidate stood with his feet on the sword and the constitution in his hand.

The various organs of the Socialist propaganda have broken out into more or less violent attacks on W. J. Bryan, the former radical leader of Democracy, since his announcement of a half-hearted support of the Parker candidacy. J. Stitt Wilson, a former Bryan Democrat of California, has an extended open letter in the Socialist Appeal to Rensselaer, showing up what he regards as Mr. Bryan's utter inconsistency, charging that Bryan surrendered to Wall Street at St. Louis. He calls on the workingman who followed Bryan in 1896 and 1900 to follow him no longer, but tells Bryan it is never too late to mend.

The activity of the Populists in New York, Connecticut and other eastern states is giving the Democrats some alarm.

Intimate friends of Candidate Parker

have denied last week's report to the effect that he had agreed to make a stumping tour of the western states at the time he is to visit St. Louis. They say the judge will make no

speeches merely for the purpose of

appearing in any given locality and will speak only when he has some definite message to deliver.

Both sides are beginning to put out

claims. Speaker Cannon, returning from the Vermont stump, says the Green Mountain State is sure to give its normal Republican majority for Roosevelt and Fairbanks. Chairman Taggart expects a greatly decreased majority.

The Democratic leaders at New York

announced that the row between Murphy and McCarren had been harmonized, friends of the former being taken into the management, while McCarren continued to officiate as executive chairman.

Very wide publicity has been given

to an article in the Outlook by David Gray, the well known author-journalist, in which he tells how his personal investigation into the status of the Philippines had changed him from an ardent anti-imperialist who voted for Bryan in 1900 into a frank defender of the present administration of those islands.

Mr. Root again has declined in advance

the New York Republican nomination for governor.

Legal and Criminal.

The Phipps Family Wrangle.

Several new and somewhat surprising turns in the domestic row of the Phipps family of Pittsburg occurred last week. Aside from the personal equation the tale of the large fortune depending on the outcome of divorce proceedings is likely to affect the big financial contest for control of the steel trust. The hand of Senator Knox as attorney for Mrs. Phipps was seen in the attitude of Henry Phipps, the wealthy uncle of Lawrence, who cabled from London that the latter should return his children to Mrs. Phipps. The opposing counsel met at Chicago, but could not agree on terms for dividing the estate.

Daylight Holdup in New Jersey.

Paymaster Dana White of the O'Rourke Engineering and Construction company at Montclair, N. J., was robbed of \$5,112 in a secluded roadway near the company's works Aug. 24. With two others he was on his way to pay off the men at work on the Cedar Grove reservoir. They were held up by six robbers, who secured the money and made their escape. Large losses were at once put on the trail in the Orange mountains and several arrests were made.

Notes.

The negro assailant of a farmer's daughter near Cedar town, Ga., was shot to death Aug. 22 by a mob after being attacked by bloodhounds, and his body was burned in the public square of the village.

The famous poisoning case of Mrs.

Cornelia Botkin ended at San Francisco last week, when Judge Cook of the superior court sentenced the prisoner to life imprisonment in the penitentiary at San Quentin for the murder of Mary Dunning six years ago.

Secret service agents have arrested

four men at Atlanta, Ga., for making and passing counterfeit ten dollar bills, \$30,000 of which with the plates were recovered.

Because he had disclosed to the New

York police secrets of the so called Black Hand society of Sicilian blackmailers, Salvatore Bossuto, eighteen years old, was shot and killed in his father's restaurant in that city last week by an Italian named Rossati. A great mob of Italians tried to lynch the murderer, but were restrained by the police reserves.

For the first time in the history of

New Jersey a justice's court has been held in which no white person figured. At the request of plaintiff and defendant, both colored women, Justice Hand ordered a colored jury to be impaneled and asked Justice Peterson, a negro, to take his place on the bench.

COMPANY L MAKES GOOD SHOWING WITH RIFLE.

A rifle team representing Company L, 8th regiment, M. V. M., of this city under command of Capt. E. G. Holt, team captain Joseph H. Provost, participated in the competitive rifle shot of the 8th regiment on the new Bay State rifle range at Lynnfield, Saturday, and the showing made was good. The shoot was the state trophy and regimental bronze for one year and was on the 200 yard range.

The shooting of all the teams was considered very good considering the fact that none of the men had been there before. It was also the first time that any of the men had used the Krag-Jorgensen rifle. The local team had a still further handicap in that the company has only been recently organized, thereby having but a short space of time to get in shape.

The weather could not have been more suitable for the contest.

Company L was commended on all sides for the showing and the result was very satisfactory to the men and officers.

The team left Lawrence at 1.15 and reached Lynnfield about 3. The company was assigned to range four which had poor working targets that are believed to have affected the score to some degree.

Lieuts. Reed and Gage were given special duties and Sergt. Walter L. Carney scored on one of the ranges.

The individual shooting of Sergt. Forster and Sumner H. Needham was especially pleasing. Forster in his ten counting shots made five bulls and five fours. His shooting was the best of the team and the regiment. Needham made 42.

After the shoot the men were mustered and dismissed.

The following are the scores made by the members of Company L's team:

Sight Shot

Frank Tierney 2-3344434233-33

Arno W. Higgins 4-444443434-43

Frank Jackson 2-334403432-29

Hedley G. Nesbitt 3-343242354-35

Norman L. Kilcup 4-443203352-39

Joseph H. Provost 4-340443433-32

Sumner H. Needham 4-445444544-42

Robert W. Forster 4-445555454-45

Edgar G. Holt 3-343234344-34

Fred Schonland 0-302020403-14

The company team making the best score was that of Co. B of Everett, 247 points. Co. B is the one that Lieut. Hillman belongs to, Co. F of Lynn made 398 and Co. C of Cambridge 371.

The best individual scores in the regiment were: Sergt. Robert W. Forster, Co. L, of Lawrence, 45-- Capt. F. Frank Packard, Co. F, of Lynn 41; private Robert J. Carr, Co. C of Cambridge 41, and Corp. William J. Columbus, Co. C of Cambridge, 41.

The best scores in the field, staff and noncommissioned officers were those of Lieut. John Caswell, I. R. P., 41, and Lieut. Col. E. W. M. Bailey, 40. The following are the officers' scores:

HEADQUARTERS.

Col. W. A. Pew Jr. 30

Lieut. John Caswell 41

Maj. W. W. Stopford 35

Maj. E. H. Eldridge 35

Capt. J. C. Barr 33

Capt. L. W. Sleeper 32

Lieut. Col. E. W. M. Bailey 40

Chief Bugler Dunbar 37

Orderly W. J. Kaville 37

Qmr. S. Newhall 31

Total 342

The following are the scores of the several company's teams in the order of the standing made:

CO B, EVERETT.

Private J. E. Berg 37

Sergt. W. A. Clark 40

Private A. J. Costella 40

Sergt. L. P. Sawin 41

1st Sergt. W. E. Brown 41

Capt. E. L. Sweetser 42

Private H. A. Austin 42

Private T. Livingston 42

Private J. C. Speaker 41

Lieut. C. H. Hillman 39

Total 359

CO I, LYNN.

Private W. F. Abbott 40

Corp. C. G. Frost 43

Private A. J. Sisson 37

Sergt. W. W. Farrington 40

Corp. S. H. Sylvester 42

Private W. H. Hall 37

Private E. E. DeMerritt 37

Corp. F. A. Morry 41

Capt. P. F. Packard 40

Qmr. Sergt. C. Atkinson 40

Total 338

CO C, CAMBRIDGE.

Private C. A. Hutchins 42

Corp. W. J. Columbus 44

Private R. J. Carr 44

Private H. J. Berke 39

1st Sergt. W. J. Green 34

Corp. C. W. Packard 21

Private P. J. Soneski 40

Corp. J. A. Blaser 24

Capt. C. H. Cutter 24

2nd Lieut. F. J. Lounsberry 39

Total 371

CO K, SOMERVILLE.

1st Sergt. M. F. Sanborn 29

Sergt. L. Seavey 42

Sergt. J. J. Scott 35

Capt. W. A. Bradford 40

Corp. W. E. Calder 32

Corp. W. Remley 40

Qmr. Sergt. F. H. Jackson 29

Private A.

North Andover News

Miss Nellie Regan of Union street is enjoying a stay at Hampton beach.

Mrs. Charles Kelley of High street is making a visit to Newburyport today.

Miss Grace Brodie is steadily improving, though slowly, at her home on Court street.

The Newburyport fair will be held in that city on the dates of September 13, 14, 15 and 16.

Jack Holland and Miss Kitty Holland of Lowell spent Wednesday with friends in town.

Miss Emily Driver and Miss Hattie Haynes of Dedham spent Wednesday at Salem Willows.

Miss Amy LeFavour of Lowell will be a guest over Labor day at the residence of James Driver on Osgood St.

Mrs. Newton and daughter of Philadelphia, Pa., are guests at the residence of Benjamin Hayes on Sutton street.

Capt. C. Knowles on the engineering staff of the Washington mills, is spending his vacation at nearby beaches.

Forest L. Perley has gone to Portland, Me., after making a visit of a few days with his parents at his home on Main street.

Frank L. Newton, formerly of the Centre, has bought out M. Bean, proprietor of the Old South cafe on Essex street.

Miss Bessie R. Sidebottom of Lowell is being entertained at the home of her uncle, Frank W. Abbott on Railroad avenue.

Miss Mary Sullivan of Railroad avenue and Miss Nellie McDonald of Main street will spend Labor day at Newburyport, R. I.

The common at the Centre is a very attractive spot these days and many favorable comments are heard on its appearance from visitors and passers-by on the electric cars.

Miss Bernice G. Hanson of Reading is making a visit of a few days at the home of her uncle, Harry White at 205 High street.

Miss Lilla G. Hamilton returns next week from Amsterdam, New York, where she has been making a visit as the guest of Miss Florence Hogg.

Miss Hattie Haynes leaves on Friday for her home in Dedham after two very pleasant weeks spent at the residence of James Driver on Osgood street.

Miss Lilla G. Hamilton has returned to her home on Elm street after a visit of several weeks in Amsterdam, N. Y., as the guest of Miss Florence Hogg.

Miss Gertrude Hannaford, milliner, with parlors in the Central building, Lawrence, left today for New York to make her selections of the fall styles.

Mrs. and Mrs. White of Prescott lodge, U. O. P. F., and Louis DeBock of Charlestown spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Donnelly on Sutton street.

Miss Annie Sanborn, Miss Elizabeth M. Saunders, the Misses Annie L. and Helen C. Sargent have returned from Pine Point, Me., where they spent their vacation.

Miss Katherine G. Donnelly has returned to her home on Sutton street after a two weeks' vacation spent at Ipswich and the different beaches along the shore.

Frank Smith of Saunders street went to Boston on Wednesday for a pleasure trip to Cape Cod, where he will spend the north shore to Gloucester.

Mrs. James O'Brien and daughters, Frances and Elizabeth of Lowell, visited on Wednesday at the residence of the former's uncle, Michael McDonald on Main street.

Mrs. Sarah Carr, Mrs. D. Dana Currier, Mrs. Fred Carr and daughter, Bertha, all of High street, and Frank Sargent of Salem street, spent the day Tuesday at Salisbury beach.

Lewis Emerson has resigned his position with Edward Balfrey, proprietor of Cold Blast market and is now working for his father, who is a contracting carpenter in Methuen.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward White and Miss Lillian Phillips returned on Wednesday evening from Barnard, Vt., where the former two have been spending the summer at Mr. White's home.

George D. Hayes, brother of Walter H. Hayes, will resume his duties as head clerk at Green's pharmacy in Lawrence on Saturday after a two weeks' vacation spent partly at his home in the River district.

The residences in the River district on Osgood street will all of them be connected by telephone in a few days. One already has the facility, the residence of Walter H. Hayes has been connected and his number is 784-3.

The two bicycles taken from the door yard of Capt. George F. Royal at the home on Main street on Tuesday night were found later hidden away on other premises. The two young men from South Lawrence owning the machines were glad to recover them.

The following local Sir Knights of Bethany Commandery will make the trip to Saratoga and Lake George starting next Saturday from Lawrence, it being the eighth annual pilgrimage: Judge N. P. Frye, Water Commissioner; Herbert W. Field, Judge Harry R. Dow, Overseer John McElwain, Sutton's mill. Judge Frye is a member of the committee on arrangements.

At the meeting of the North Andover Young Men's club on Tuesday evening Edward A. Curley was elected to membership. In the absence of the president, Rev. H. Usher Munro and Vice President Albert C. Knowles, George Woolley presided. Only routine business was transacted other than the election of one member. A social hour followed the business of the meeting.

The Adams crushing plant which has stood for some time past on pasture land off Sutton street going towards Lake Cochichewick, is being removed to Messers' Crossing, N. H. J. N. Wagner is in charge of this work which commenced on Monday. The contract for grading has been let to James C. Poor, chairman of the board of selectmen. This work will commence right away. Contractor Adams is now exceedingly busy. He has men at work on the strip of macadam on Massachusetts avenue and a big gang is putting through the two miles at Haverhill, both state highways.

Many farmers are cutting a second hay crop.

Miss Broadbent of Billerica has been visiting for a few days at the home of Lemuel Spencer.

Miss Joseph Hinchcliffe of Railroad avenue visited her parents in Billerica on Sunday.

Miss Nellie Turnett of Boston is visiting at the residence of James Regan on Union street.

John E. Farries of Phippsburg, Missouri, is making a visit with his sister Mrs. William Page on Church street.

On Sunday Postmaster and Mrs. Charles A. Pilling and Miss Leola Calif of Danvers visited in Wakefield.

Miss Eva Handy is expected to return on Labor day from China, Me., where she has been visiting relatives.

Miss Marjorie Tilton is expected to return home this week from a visit of two weeks with relatives at Parker River.

Capt. Frank A. Coan of Everett, of the Boston custom house was in town on Tuesday together with his son Robert.

The Misses Jennie and Margaret Collins returned on Saturday from Wells beach, Me., where they passed a week.

Miss Maud Wallwork of Sutton street and Miss Margaret Hinchcliffe of Railroad avenue spent Sunday at Hampton beach.

Miss Ida Bixby and Miss Mabel J. Cheney arrived home today after several weeks' outing at Cape Elizabeth, Maine.

Letters remain unclaimed at the parish postoffice this week for Charles Hussey, W. B. Pendleton and John Wilcox.

Willard Poor was at home on Sunday. He has completed his work at Sanford, Me., and next goes to Wilton, N. H.

Miss Leola Calif of Danvers is making a visit with her relatives Postmaster and Mrs. Charles A. Pilling, 132 Main street.

Alec Gillispie of Byron Trull & Co., Lawrence, is enjoying a two weeks' vacation which he is to spend in different places.

Miss Emma L. Bixby and Mrs. A. B. Bixby have returned to their home on Pleasant street after a very pleasant sojourn at Weymouth.

Miss Florence Sutcliffe of Rochester, N. H., is making a visit in town. She is the guest of Miss Helen Josselyn at her home on Main street.

Mrs. William Whitworth and Mrs. Isaac Leach of Peabody were the guests of Mrs. William Hayes at her home on Sutton street on Sunday.

L. O. Goodwin of Worcester superintendent of the Johnson and Bassett Mule Works, visited Harry White on Sunday at his home on High street.

Mrs. William Johnson and daughter Lila of church street have returned after a visit among relatives and friends in Southboro and other places.

Charles Gillispie of the W. H. Gile and Co., Lawrence, in charge of the haberdashery department has returned from Salisbury beach where he spent a week at Castle Mona.

Thomas Murphy of Roxbury made a visit in town with his brother Patrick Murphy at Sutton's corner on Tuesday evening. He was accompanied by his son William who is making a visit with his uncle at 1 Collins.

Mrs. George Kershaw and Miss Clara Buckley went to Waltham Saturday. The former returned on Sunday while the latter is to remain for a visit until after Labor day.

Mrs. Patrick Gillispie of Saunders street together with her sister Mrs. McGuire of South Lawrence left Saturday for Salisbury beach where they are enjoying the week at Castle Mona.

The fishing at Lake Cochichewick is a source of pleasure to the many people who indulge but few have the luck to bring home large strings. The few lucky ones however have secured some very creditable catches during the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward White and Miss Lillian Phillips of High street are expected to return home from Barnard, Vt., next Wednesday. The former have been spending the summer in the Green mountain state.

Charles Downes of High street overseer of weaving at Sutton's mill, is planning to join his wife and daughter at Bridgeton, Me., on Saturday before Labor day to remain over the holiday. The latter two return home with him.

Miss Ruth Lake is visiting with relatives in Danvers. She returned last week with her cousins Bertha and Irene Conant who have been visiting their uncle, Motorman Arthur W. Lake of 19 Union street.

Mrs. Wentworth Lewis spent Sunday at Salisbury beach. Miss Mamie Wormald returned home with her father a week spent with George Shaw and family of Water street, who are at the beach. Mrs. James Thomson of Pleasant street accompanied Mrs. Lewis.

The game was declared off to have been played between the Blue Stockings and Young Men's Catholic Association baseball teams on the Tavern lot this afternoon. Many of the players on both teams were unable to be on hand.

The members of the Blue Stockings club visited Echo camp on the shore of Lake Cochichewick on Thursday evening by special invitation. They were the guests of George Butterworth and Herbert Woodhouse who are occupying the camp during their vacation.

A few days ago the first of the damaged cars in the head-on collision on the Boston and Worcester street railroad passed through town via the Haverhill and Andover road on its way from the Newburyport shops to Boston. The second car passed through over the same road on Friday.

A party of local young men leave Monday of next week for Salisbury beach where they are to remain over Labor day occupying a cottage. In the party are J. Gerald Miller, Leonard P. Johnson, Samuel Hargreaves, Ernest A. Johnson, Howard Geaney, John Newton and Engineer P. J. Casey. The latter four are to join the first three the middle of the week.

S. D. Hinxman has sold a two horse follower cart to George E. Kunhardt.

Mr. Eastman of Boston has been engaged as night watchman at Sutton's mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Hinxman of Belmont street passed Sunday at Salisbury beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Payson Grant have returned from Newmarket, N. H., where they spent their vacation.

Mrs. Charles McCarthy and daughters, Katherine J. and Mary F., spent Sunday at Salem and Salem Willows.

Miss Agnes McCarthy of Railroad avenue went to Salisbury beach on Monday with friends to remain a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cookson and Miss Robinson, the latter of Philadelphia visited Sunday at Mrs. Ellen Butterworth's on High street.

Miss Marion Badashaw and Miss Marion Cook of Bradford are spending today at the residence of Charles J. Kelley on High street.

Mrs. William Howes of Main street and daughter, Miss Maud M. Howes are to spend Saturday, Sunday and Monday next at Old Orchard, Me.

James Leadworth and John Kelley start Saturday for Burlington, Vt., where they are to make a three weeks' visit with relatives of the former.

Agent William Howes of the Sutton street station of the Boston and Maine leaves on Friday of this week for Cannadagua, N. Y., where he is to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meserve and Miss Alice Hogarty have returned to their home in Dorchester after visiting at John N. Meserve's residence on Pleasant street.

The following party of eight have returned home after a pleasant two weeks' visit at Salisbury beach: Mr. and Mrs. John N. Meserve, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meserve, Miss Alice Hogarty of Dorchester, George N. Meserve, Miss Minnie Goff and Miss Nellie Meserve.

NIGHT WORK COMMENCED.

All night work commenced at Sutton's mill on Monday night. The weaving department was started first. A big crowd of men were on hand at 6 o'clock to commence work. All departments will be in operation later in the week. Tonight the spinning and card rooms work overtime until 3 o'clock.

LOCAL CONTRACTOR SUCCESSFUL.

Edward Adams of 53 Milk street has secured the contract for the building of a mile of macadam road on the old Lawrence turnpike in Salem, N. H., to start at the New Hampshire state line and build toward the settled part of the town. Edward F. Searles bears the expense of the construction and it is possible that other roads will be improved.

WACWINET LODGE ASSN. ANNUAL MEETING.

The Wacwinet lodge association held its annual meeting on Monday evening when officers were elected for the ensuing term. President George L. Barker presided. Reports read by the secretary and treasurer were most favorable. The election resulted with the following officers: President, Geo. L. Barker; vice president, Thomas P. Wentworth; secretary, James W. Leitch; treasurer, Charles W. Hinxman; and board of directors, William G. Ayer, chairman, William Roberts and Horace B. Foster.

GAGE OBSEQUIES.

The funeral of the late Nathaniel Gage who passed away on Sunday last at his home on Bradford street, was held on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the West Boxford Congregational church. The pastor, Rev. Charles H. Hubbard officiated. Many were closely acquainted with the deceased and a large number of relatives and fellow townmen gathered at the church in attendance at the service out of respect to his memory.

Mourners and friends were present from this town, New York, Winthrop beach, Boston, Haverhill, Lawrence, Methuen, Andover, Boxford, West Boxford, Bradford and Groveland. The Arlington quartet of Haverhill sang three hymns, "Lead Kindly Light," "Gathering Home," and "Near-er, My God to Thee."

The interment was made in the family lot in the village cemetery. The bearers were: Nathaniel A. Gage, Dr. Edward F. Gage of Winthrop beach, Charles A. Andrew and William B. Chadwick of West Boxford, Hon. Isaac C. Day of West Boxford who was in charge at the church. Brief services were held at the home before the service at the church.

The deceased passed away after an illness of several months. An attack of grip brought on heart trouble. He came of good old colonial stock. His parents were, Deacon Daniel Kimball of this town and Mary Day of Boxford. He was born December 23, 1825 in his home where he lived until the historic Capt. John Peabody homestead. He was a descendant on his mother's side of Governor Bradford.

His grandfather, Nathaniel Gage, purchased the Peabody homestead in 1794 and it has been in the possession of the family ever since. The second great grandfather of the deceased, Capt. Nathaniel Gage, commanded a company from Haverhill and Bradford in the Revolution, from whom the Capt. Nathaniel Gage chapter, D. R. of Bradford, takes its name.

Mr. Gage went to the district school, afterwards attending the Guilford, N. H. academy.

On the death of his father in 1857, he succeeded him as deacon at the West Boxford church and he was also the latter's successor as chorister, both of which positions he held up to the time of his death. For many years he had been a teacher in the Sabbath school. He was a member and constant attendant at the church named, and a generous contributor to its support and benevolence.

In November 1881, Mr. Gage married Miss Marion E. Andrew, daughter of the late Isaac Andrew of West Boxford, a brother of the late Gov. John A. Andrew. A widow and three children, Nathaniel Andrew, Miss Mary Abby and Hermon Tenney Gage, survive him; also a sister, Mrs. George E. Davis of Prospect, N. H., and a brother, Herman K. Gage of Truckee, Cal., and a half-brother, Dr. Edward F. Gage of Winthrop beach.

They have the deepest sympathy of the community in their loss.

Grangers Make Merry.

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ing the grangers of his state and of New Hampshire united on such an occasion of pleasure. Overseer Richardson looked to the grange to extend social relations among the young people in the rural districts and keep them on the farm. He did not find agriculture on the decline, but knew that farming products were greatly on the increase in amount. George O. Hadley, master of the New Hampshire state grange, was the next speaker.

He spoke in a jovial strain, cracking several jokes at the expense of his friend Ladd of Massachusetts, who returned them with interest. Mr. Hadley sighted certain prime principles of the order and dwelt upon them. The grange raises the principles of living, seeks the farmer out, makes him better informed, gives him the inspiration to be up to date in his methods, makes him a good citizen, secures good roads for the rural districts and numerous other advantages which otherwise he would not obtain as an individual. A selection by the Arlington quartette of Haverhill was next on the program. Sister Johnson of Hopkinton, Mass., lady assistant steward of the state grange, spoke very ably upon the woman's place in the grange.

Mrs. Johnson preceded the speaker of the afternoon, National Master Jones, who was received with great applause. Introduced as a Hoosier from Indiana, a typical western farmer, he looked every whit of it. He said he had been many times in New England and was no stranger. He ever sings the praises of New England which he finds more inviting than his flat western country. He finds the order growing in power and influence on all sides. It is the strongest of all orders found within the borders of the United States with the National government. Some of the best laws on the statute books in force today he said had been suggested by the order. The Free Rural Mail Delivery is the direct fruit of the work of the order. He touched rather strongly upon Canadian Reciprocity and told of the part that Patrons of Husbandry had taken in preventing the final acceptance of the treaty at Quebec.

Immediately following the exercises at the theatre a ball game was commenced upon the park grounds. A hot one-sided contest took place between teams representing Haverhill and Methuen. In their interest the tillers of the soil forgot to talk of crops and the fall prospects and settled down to the enjoyment of the national game. After a hard hitting the tempo of the order, he touched rather strongly upon Canadian Reciprocity and told of the part that Patrons of Husbandry had taken in preventing the final acceptance of the treaty at Quebec.

The make-up of the two lines was: Haverhill: George Miett, P. L. Adams, G. H. Smith Jr., G. H. Ayer, D. Adams, Ira J. Webster captain and H. George Owens lb, W. H. White of and E. Miett 2b.

Methuen: Sidney Cook, p, Benjamin Gordon c, and captain, Tyler Douglas lb, William Rodwell 2b, Robert Johnson 3b, Archie Wilkie 3b, George Brown, cf, Clarence Adams if and Robert Emerson rf.

The umpires were Ayer of Haverhill and Culliffe of Methuen.

The score by innings was:
Haverhill 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
Methuen 0 1 0 1 2 0 1 0 0 5

The closing features of the sports was a tug of war between teams representing Andover and North Andover, and Methuen. The former won two out of three. The first pull was doubtful but in the last two the winning team pulled their opponents off their feet. This contest created the greatest enthusiasm of the day. S. H. Bailey of Andover was the referee. The two teams were made up as follows: Andover: North Andover: A. T. Gould, F. R. Abbott and Charles L. Bailey, S. D. Berry, J. Henry, Nason and Selectman James C. Poor. Methuen: Herman T. Woods, Arthur Edwards, J. H. Edwards Jr., George A. Brown, E. B. Gordon and William Bowdell.

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The new exhibition halls erected this year because of the demands for increased space are proving inadequate and extra accommodations have had to be secured. The agricultural and live stock display will be exceptionally large.

The 15 horse races arranged for the Fair have all filled and every class numbers well known horses that have been campaigning in the east this season, which assures great racing every day.

In addition there will be an immense firemen's master Labor day, with over 25 of the crack tubs of New England competing. Other sports include the automobile races which will be of a thrilling interest, balloon races and acrobatics, the vaudeville shows, sports on the "Pike" and many other events. The Fair opens Labor day, with the big muster; Tuesday will be Children's Day; Wednesday Governor's Day and Thursday Automobile Day. While the horse races, vaudeville shows and other features will be seen.

Round trip tickets at reduced rates will be on sale at this station and principal stations on the Boston & Maine Railroad. For list of stations and rates, see Boston & Maine posters.

Miss Currier of Salem is making a visit at the residence of George A. Smith the painter on Saunders street. Lionel Heilwell is shortly to go to Philadelphia, Pa., where he will spend a short time. Mrs. A. P. Fuller and Miss Kate T. Fuller and Lester Fuller spent Thursday at Salisbury beach. Miss Marion Brown of Maple avenue is making a visit in Groveland as the guest of Ethel Wilson.



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It is safe to predict that it will be the best fair ever held in Rochester, and that is saying a good deal. There will be a mammoth display from field, garden and orchard. The art department has been enlarged, so as to better accommodate its hundreds of exhibitors. The stables and pens for the horses, cattle, sheep, swine and poultry will all be filled with choice thoroughbred stock.

The purses and premiums offered this year amount to more than \$15,000.00. The half-mile track—as fast as any in New England—is in prime condition for the spirited speed contests booked for each day of the fair.

The free continuous stage performance, and other outdoor exhibitions, will be the best ever seen on Rochester Fair grounds. Among the acts is a leap of thirty feet in mid-air, while riding at terrific speed on bicycles. This act is accomplished by a man and woman,—the only woman in the world who dares to attempt such a perilous performance. Four bands will furnish music, and there will be reduced rates on the railroads.

THE HEART OF MARYLAND

Among the most prominent and famous dramatic attractions which are on the list of the current season one that has never failed in being cordially greeted is David Belasco's intensely interesting, sensational and romantically realistic war play, "The Heart of Maryland." It will be seen at the Colonial Theatre, Lawrence, next Thursday, September 8.

The numerous and markedly individual characters will be portrayed by an able company of players, and the scenic illustrations are brilliantly effective in their picturesque beauty and charm of romantic realism. Matinees every afternoon at 2:15 p. m. Prices, 15 and 25c.

"Rachel Goldstein," or "The Struggles of a Poor Girl in New York," which is announced for presentation at the Colonial theatre, Lawrence, next Monday, Sept. 5, tells the story of a young Yiddish girl, who, in emigrating to America with her father, meets with many startling adventures. In the end the girl develops into an accomplished and beautiful young woman and marries the man of her choice.

EX-PRISONERS AT ANDERSONVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. John Glidden of Princeton, Maine, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George L. Barker, 109 Maple avenue. The latter is a sister of Mrs. Barker. Mr. Glidden is a veteran of the Civil war and was taken as a prisoner and was confined at Andersonville prison.

ARMY MANOEUVERS.

Militia of this vicinity will Participate in Big War Game to take Place at Manassas.

The militia companies of this vicinity will participate in the army manoeuvres at Manassas next week. The war game will furnish the soldier boys a rare opportunity to become familiar with military service during a campaign. One of the largest armies ever gathered in times of peace will be mobilized in Virginia. Fully 250,000 men will be in the field in two divisions, which will be regarded as hostile for the purpose of carrying out the "war" program. Every state in the Atlantic division, except Mississippi, will be represented.

Company I of the Eighth and Co. F of the Ninth regiment will leave Lawrence early Saturday morning for the South.

Each man will carry what one would imagine would fill a good sized furniture wagon, as he will wear full khaki uniform, leggings and campaign hat and carry canteen, haversack, meat can, knife, spoon, fork, dipper, one-half shelter tent, one-half poles and pins, rubber blanket, overcoat, woolen blanket, bed sack, trousers of brown working suit, towels and toilet articles, change of underwear, etc., rolled in horse collar.

The sham battle will be no boys' play. Compared with them the drill of the militia gets in armories and on parade grounds is like a kindergarten to a boy's military school. Although the government will pay for damage done, the opposing forces will not hesitate to tear down a man's fences, tramp over his corn field, or dig up his front garden, if necessary, on the ground of economy. Whatever would be considered expedient in actual battle will be carried out in sham battle. While the opposing forces will be instructed, in a general way, to destroy as little property as possible, to avoid cemeteries and fish warden, and to consider the rights of the inoffensive farmer, no regiment of company is going to imperil the chances of the success of its division by taking these things into serious consideration.

The minimum estimate of the troops in the field is 25,000. It is more than likely there will be 30,000. These will be separated into two divisions. The first will wear the old style blue uniforms and the second will wear khaki. The first division, which will occupy Camp No. 1, near Manassas, will be in command of Gen. Frederick D. Grant, former police commissioner of New York city, and a son of the famous soldier president.

A quartet is one of the features of "Her Mad Marriage," the latest in protean melodramas. This quartet, however, is unlike the average stage quartet. It is made up of members of the cast and the parts they play are so written that the formation of a quartet is the most natural thing in the world. This attraction appears at the Colonial theatre, Lawrence, for three days commencing Sept. 1, with matinees on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Prices, 15 and 25c.